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"Difficult To Imagine Good Relations With England," Says Molotov, As— U.S.S.R. DEFINES HER FOREIGN RELATIONS

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

MOSCOW, AUGUST 1 (UP).—THE SOVIET PACT WITH GERMANY HAS NOT ONLY ECONOMIC SIGNIFICANCE BUT "IS ALSO AN INSURANCE FOR GERMAN SECURITY IN THE EAST," DECLARED THE SOVIET COMMISSAR FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS TO-DAY.

M. Molotov began his speech with a review of international affairs during the past four months. He said France has no peace despite the Armistice with Germany.

RELATIONS IN BALTIC

"Relations with the Baltic States will now go on a new basis to ensure the rapid development of their economy and culture and also to increase the might of the Soviet Union. In addition, these new territories give the Soviet Union a total population of 193,000,000," he said.

After reviewing the events leading to the annexation of Bessarabia and North Bukovina

he said he expected Soviet relations with Rumania would become "perfectly normal."

SIR STAFFORD'S MISSION

"It is difficult to imagine good relations with England considering all her hostile acts against the Soviet Union," the Foreign Minister declared. "However, Sir Stafford Cripps' mission reflects the fact that Britain desires to improve relations."

M. Molotov said England alone is fighting Italy and Germany. He said the cause of the French defeat was military weakness.

"The French leaders were afraid of military tradition," he asserted.

FINLAND WARNED

Future relations with Finland, he said, would depend entirely on Finland, but he warned strongly against certain circles "who will not discontinue their attacks against the people and support friendly relations with the Soviet Union."

"Such acts might be prejudicial to Soviet-Finnish relations," he warned.

Referring to Turkey he said relations with the Soviet Union have not changed substantially but the German White Book indicated that Turkey is "engaged in anti-Soviet acts."

Russia and Rumania
MOSCOW, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Speaking at the opening of the seventh session of the Soviet Parliament this afternoon, M. Molotov, the Soviet Foreign Commissar, referring to the cession of territory by Rumania, said:

"The frontiers of the Soviet have thus been advanced to the west to the Danube, which, after the Volga, is the biggest European river and one of the most important routes for commercial exchanges between a number of European nations."

M. Molotov added that in general, Russo-Rumanian relations should from now on take a perfectly normal course.

Referring to the relations between the Soviet and the Baltic countries, he said that it was found that the mutual assistance pacts concluded with Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia did not lead, as was expected, to a rapprochement between these countries and the Soviet. On the contrary, the bourgeoisie group, who

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LATEST

Bahamas Prepare
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
NASSAU, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Bahamas are making elaborate preparations to install the Duke of Windsor as Governor when he arrives in the middle of this month.

The Duke's title will be "Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony."

The social and official title of the American-born Duchess, who has never been granted Royal distinction, will be defined by the Colonial Secretary in London.

BIG QUAKE RECORDED
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
FAZENDA, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Italian Seismologist, Raffaele Benadani, announces that his seismograph registered the most violent earthquake in many years at 3.20 p.m. G.M.T.

He estimates the epicentre to be in eastern Asia somewhere north of Japan.

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Colony's All-Time Rain Record

For the first time in history, Hongkong's rainfall for the first seven months of the year has reached a total exceeding 90 inches.

Nothing but a drought for the remainder of the year can now stop a new high record aggregate for 12 months.

Between 10.30 a.m. yesterday and 8.30 this morning, a further four inches of rain were added to this year's remarkable total, which now stands at 91 inches.

New Record Certain

Only 20 inches of rain are now needed for the Colony to establish a new record for the year, and as the average rainfall for the next five months is 41 inches, there seems but little doubt that the 1889 figure of 119.715 inches will be passed.

The first seven months of 1889 produced only 70 inches, though 18 inches were recorded during August. However this year, with only one day of August passed, the aggregate rainfall amounts to 91 inches, only six inches below the full eight months rainfall 97 inches ago.

Heaviest downpour during the night was .855 inch, which fell between 1.30 and 2.30 a.m. During the following hour a further .450 inch was registered. There was another severe storm between 6.30 and 7.30 when .350 inch fell, while during the next hour 7 inch was recorded by the Royal Observatory.

Boats Year's Normal Total

The rainfall of 91 inches up to half past eight this morning is 38 inches above the average, and is, in fact, seven inches higher than the normal aggregate for the entire year.

All of the Colony's reservoirs, including Jubilee, continue to overflow, and this guarantees that there will be no water shortage this winter.

WAR IN AFRICA

ENEMY 'DROME RAIDED

NAIROBI, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—To-day's communiqué states: "Quiet day. Our bombers carried out a raid on the enemy aerodrome at Yavello. The results are awaited."

Cairo Communiqué

CAIRO, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—A communiqué issued to-day states: "A reconnaissance party pushing towards Dohel (Kenya) on July 30 withdrew after meeting strong opposition."

"On other fronts there is nothing to report."

Medical Supplies Via Burma Road

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Replying to a question in the House of Commons to-day, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said Red Cross and medical supplies were not within the categories of goods the passage of which is forbidden by the Burma Road.

BRITISH TROOPS LAND IN ICELAND



THOUGH ICELANDERS had never before seen troops in full battle dress, British Tommies were warmly welcomed. Here crowds are seen greeting troops as they drove inland on a lorry.

TIN HAT SAVED NURSE'S LIFE



SISTER GUTTRIDGE, one of the British nurses who was evacuated through Dunkirk, showing her tin hat to other sisters in London. The damage to her tin hat was caused when she was machine-gunned as she was escaping with her four patients to the coast. She was the last of her unit to leave.

Hitler's Lost Chance

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Cairo newspaper, "Mokattam", discussing the causes of the delay in the date of the German offensive against Britain which was publicly announced for the 15th, then the 20th and then the 25th of July, states, "there is no doubt that every day that passes reduces the chances of success, and increases England's. Hitler has definitely lost his chance of a lightning victory."

Libyan Frontier Casualties

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—It is learned in London that casualties on each side on the Libyan frontier since the beginning of the war with Italy have been as follows: British—Killed and missing, 20; wounded, 10; vehicles, 10. Italians—Killed, 20; wounded, 20; captured, 472; vehicles, 80, including 10 guns.

FURTHER RAIDS ON GERMANY

Persistent Action By The R.A.F.

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—An Air Ministry communiqué states that yesterday R.A.F. aircraft of the Bomber Command carried out daylight attacks on military objectives in Germany and on shipping off the German and Dutch coasts.

During these raids, the bombers were engaged by enemy fighters, two of which were shot down.

One of our bombers is missing. Oil refineries at Muburg, near Hanover, and at Emmerich were attacked by bombers last night, while other aircraft bombed supply depots at Osnabruck, shipping in the Zuider Zee and enemy aerodromes in Holland and Germany.

Two of our aircraft were lost. Yesterday a Sunderland flying-boat

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R.A.F. CONTINUES DAYLIGHT RAIDS

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Air Ministry announces that in daylight on Wednesday Royal Air Force planes launched daylight attacks on German military objectives and shipping off the German and Dutch coasts.

They battled German fighting planes, two of which were brought down. One British bomber is missing.

On Wednesday night the Royal Air Force bombed the Missburg and Emmerich oil refineries, supply depots on the Zuyder Zee, and Dutch and German aerodromes, during which operations two British aircraft were lost.

Nazi Report

BERLIN, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Nazi Command states: "Bombs were dropped from enemy planes on the night of July 31—August 1 on northern and western Germany. They caused slight damage."

"One enemy plane flying at a great height above the clouds dropped a number of bombs in the centre of the city of Hanover far from any military objectives, severely damaging a number of houses and killing or wounding a number of persons."

We're On The Job

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The following are quotations from recent German newspapers.

"Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung," July 17: "English incendiary bombs are of greater power and penetration than usually presumed. The range and penetrating power of the splinters of the explosive bombs have been much under-estimated. The distance at which such splinters can bring death and destruction is incredible. We have seen one splinter the size of a fist, come down through a heavy oak door and two compact walls of a safe."

"Even thick walls do not offer any definite protection. The air attacks which are repeated night after night are a heavy strain on the nerves."

The same paper on July 14 in an article entitled "Bombs on Hamburg" states: "It is only natural that we stay in air-raid shelters has become a nightly habit. Already people are most surprised if such visits by the English have for once not taken place and they make guesses as to why the night was quiet."

The "Munchener Neueste Nachrichten" on July 17 said: "Of late there has hardly been one night when enemy aircraft did not approach Germany on a stratosphere flight and drop bombs somewhere."

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Royal Commission has signed the Royal Assent to the Emergency Powers Defence Bill.

LONE NAZI RAIDER THROUGH

Norwich Bombed: Civilians Killed

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Home Security issued the following communiqué to-day:

"A single enemy aircraft, flying at a great height, crossed the east coast this afternoon. It later dropped bombs at Norwich causing some damage to industrial premises and a number of civilian casualties, several of which were fatal."

"Elsewhere enemy activity has been confined to occasional flights over the English Channel, where two enemy aircraft were shot down by our fighters this evening."

"One of our fighters failed to return from patrol."

Bombs Start Fires

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—A German plane dropped bombs and strafed a south-eastern town this afternoon. Windows in stores and houses were shattered by bullets.

The bombs started fires and caused some casualties. British planes chased them.

German Report

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BERLIN, Aug. 1 (UP).—To-day's High Command communiqué says: "Night raids were carried out with weak forces against shipping in harbours of south England as well as the enemy's searchlight batteries. Explosions and fires were observed."

"During the air battles off Dover last evening between Spitfires and Messerschmitts, five British planes and two barrage balloons were shot down without any German losses. Three other British planes were brought down during raids over Germany, Denmark and the Netherlands. The enemy's total losses were eight planes. Two German planes are missing."

Five People Killed

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Appearing suddenly out of the cloud, a German plane dived to about 400 feet over the centre of Norwich and dropped bombs which killed five people and injured several others.

One bomb demolished part of a warehouse and a second struck another building.

Another bomb wrecked a restaurant, the explosion lifting off the roof.

81 HELD AT PANAMA

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1 (UP).—The War Department announces that 81 foreign agents have been detained at Panama.

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ARANDORA STAR DRAMA

London, Aug. 1.
The name has just been revealed of a British officer who heroically sacrificed his life to save one of the allies, for whom he was responsible, when the Arandora Star was torpedoed. The officer was Brevet Major Christopher Bethell, Officer Commanding the Military Guard over the Germans and Italians, who were being taken to Canada. As the vessel was sinking he gave his life belt to one of the internees, then walked to the bridge and went down alongside the captain.—Reuter.

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In accordance with Government Ordinance, The Exchange Banks will be closed for the transaction of Public Business on Monday, the 5th August, 1940. (The First Monday in August).
Hongkong, 31st July, 1940.

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Tenders are invited for the supply of the undermentioned articles for H.M. Naval Service:—
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NOTICE

Notice is given that from the 1st of August, 1940, Mr. W. Vosmeer has been appointed Manager of our Hongkong Branch office.

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The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from WEDNESDAY, 7th AUGUST to FRIDAY, 16th AUGUST, 1940, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

C. M. MANNERS,
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Hongkong, 29th July, 1940.

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PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of August, 1940, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Repulse Bay, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Containing in sq. feet	Ann. Rent	Upset Price
1	South Bay Road, adjoining Garden Lot No. 110 and 111, and Lot No. 207.	as per sale plan.	about 20,250	\$250	\$2,500

G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of August, 1940, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Mong Kok, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Containing in sq. feet	Ann. Rent	Upset Price
1	Adjoining of Tong Mui Road and Mong Kok Road, Mong Kok.	as per sale plan.	about 12,200	\$250	\$2,250

STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange Official Summary issued yesterday says:

The market is off the boil, little trade has been reported to-day and listlessness replaces the burst of enquiries with which the week was ushered in.

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SECTION THREE

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SECTION FOUR

(Craftsmen's Section)

The whole of the work entered in the production of every entry must have been done by the competitors who will be required to make a declaration to this effect. Each entry must have pasted on the back a special entry form obtainable on application from The Hongkong Telegraph or from the Hon. Secretary, Hongkong Photographic Society. Subjects at the discretion of competitors.

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RULES

The following Rules will govern the Competition:

- 1.—The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
- 2.—No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.
- 3.—The prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by a form which will be published during the period of the Competition, and which must be pasted on back of entry.
- 4.—The right to publish any or all of the entries is reserved to the Hongkong Telegraph.
- 5.—All photographs entered must have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions are ineligible.
- 6.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries.
- 7.—All entries to be either black, sepia, or toned pictures, and must be mounted. Coloured photographs are ineligible.
- 8.—Pictures submitted in sepia tones should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.
- 9.—No picture to be entered in more than one Section.
- 10.—Mounts to be only white or cream, must be of one of the following sizes:—10x12, 10x20.
- 11.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- 12.—Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
- 13.—The decision of the Judges shall be final.
- 14.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at the Telegraph offices within seven days.

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INWARD MAILS

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Canton Aug. 2.
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Straits Aug. 3.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Manila Aug. 3.
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Shanghai Aug. 4.
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Formosa, Amoy and Swatow Aug. 5.

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Rabaul and Manila Aug. 5.
Shanghai Aug. 5.
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Java and Manila Aug. 7.
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Par. Aug. 2, 6 p.m.

Reg. Aug. 3, 4.45 a.m.

Ord. Aug. 3, 9.30 a.m.

Saturday, August 3

Amoy 8.30 a.m.

Sandakan 8.30 a.m.

Shanghai and Parrels only for Tientsin 9 a.m.

Fort Bayard 2.30 p.m.

Bangkok 2.30 p.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa 3.30 p.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada, and "United-Kingdom via San Francisco (No Parrels for Canada)." 4 p.m.

G.P.O. and K.P.O. Aug. 3, 4 p.m.

Par. Aug. 3, 5 p.m.

Reg. Aug. 3, 5.30 p.m.

Ord. Aug. 3, 5.30 p.m.

Sunday, August 4

Shanghai 4.30 a.m.

Manila 9 a.m.

Monday, August 5

Canton 10.30 a.m.

Haiphong 10.30 a.m.

Siam 4.30 p.m.

Canton 7 p.m.

Tuesday, August 6

Fort Bayard and Hoihow 10 a.m.

Shanghai 10.30 a.m.

Haiphong Noon.

Air Mail for Indo-China, Malaya, Java and Australia by the "Imperial Airways Service" 4.30 p.m.

K.P.O.

Reg. Aug. 6, 5 p.m.

Ord. Aug. 6, 5.30 p.m.

G.P.O.

Reg. Aug. 6, 5 p.m.

Ord. Aug. 6, 5.30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 7

Amoy 12.30 p.m.

Parrels only for Tientsin 1.30 p.m.

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Friday, August 9

Madang, Salamau, and Rabaul 3.30 p.m.

Shanghai 12.30 p.m.

Saturday, August 10

Shanghai and Parrels only for Tientsin 9 a.m.

Japan 9.

By Walt Disney



Thoughts on INTERIOR DECORATION

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1. A clock.
2. One hundred and fifty days.
3. (2) has been known to attack and kill children.
4. Because if it were busy, you'd never know it was the wrong number.
5. A letter which due to the sender's official position has been sent free of the usual post office charges.
6. Champion or Champ.
7. William Allen White.
8. Impeachment.
9. (2) cartoonist.

10. James I.
11. A tornado is a storm over land. A typhoon is a storm over the sea.
12. Oporto, Portugal.
13. The lower two front teeth.
14. $\frac{1}{2}\%$

All cracks in the outer walls should be filled in. Soap is not bad, and it is easy to work, although the house during wet weather is likely to froth a bit. Still, I think this is rather picturesque, especially if you use scented soap.

During the depression we practically lived in it. It was a bit damp



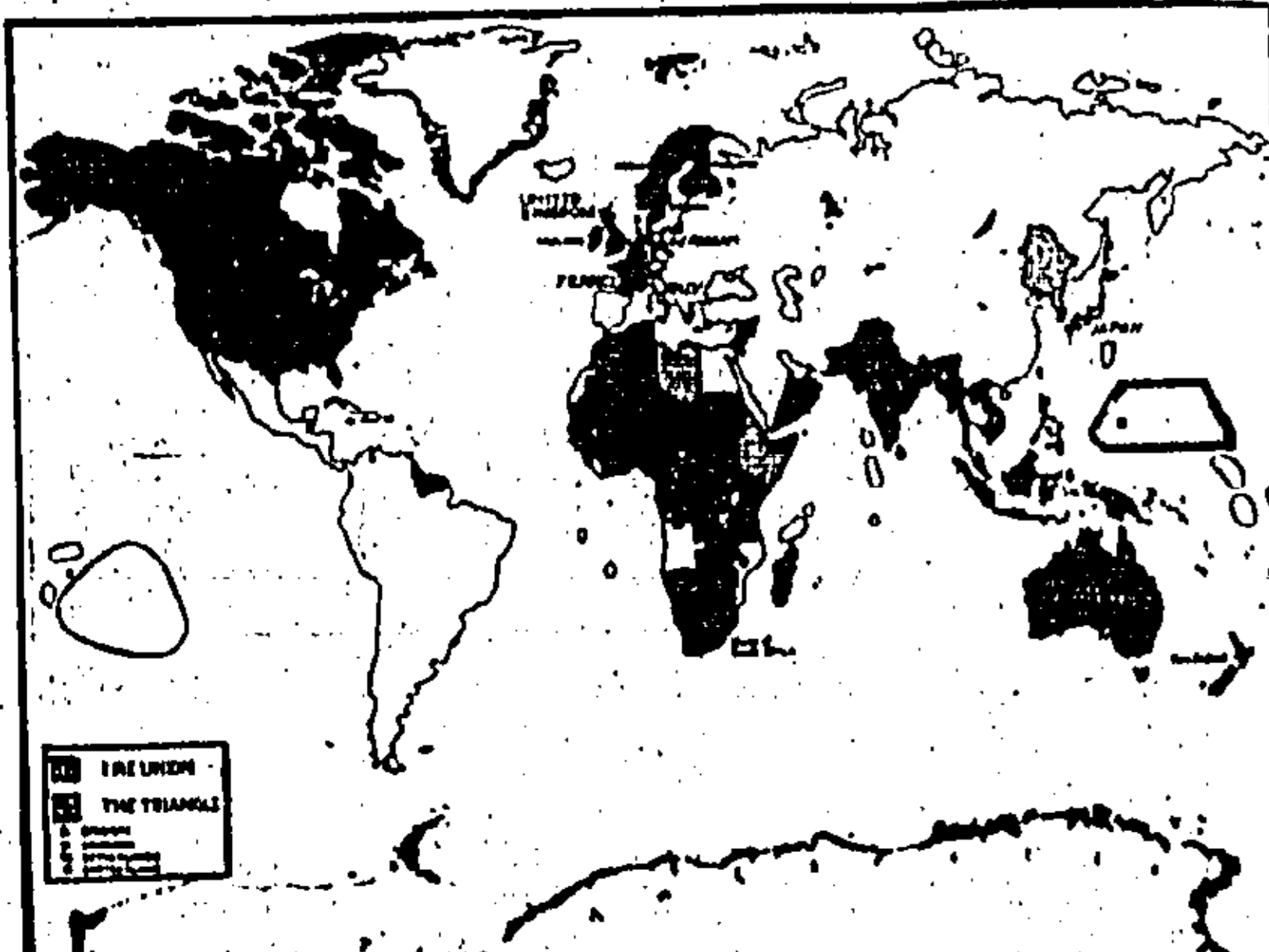
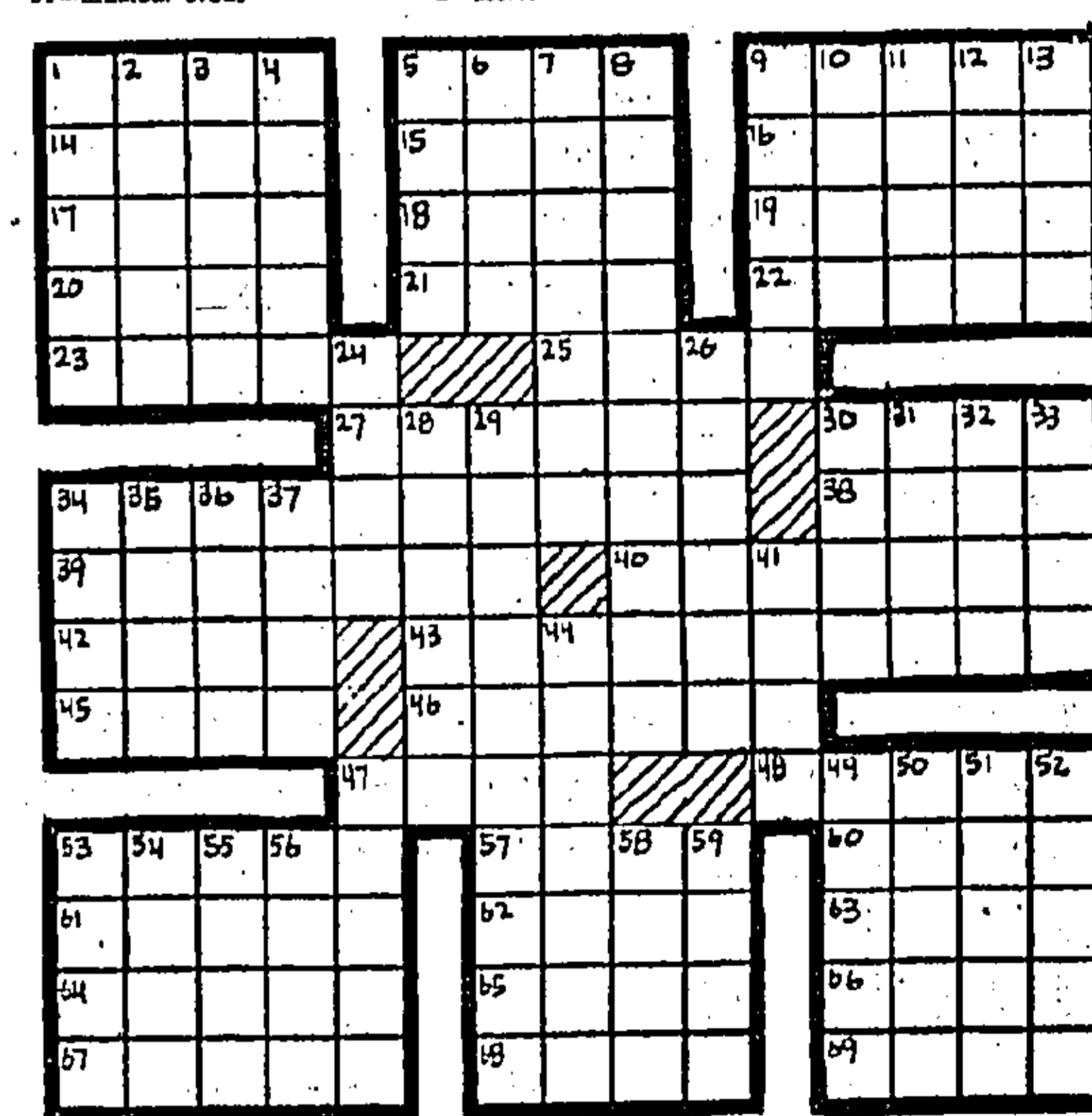
This method may seem unconventional, but it works.

I now have an important ap-
pointment to avoid. EXCUSE ME

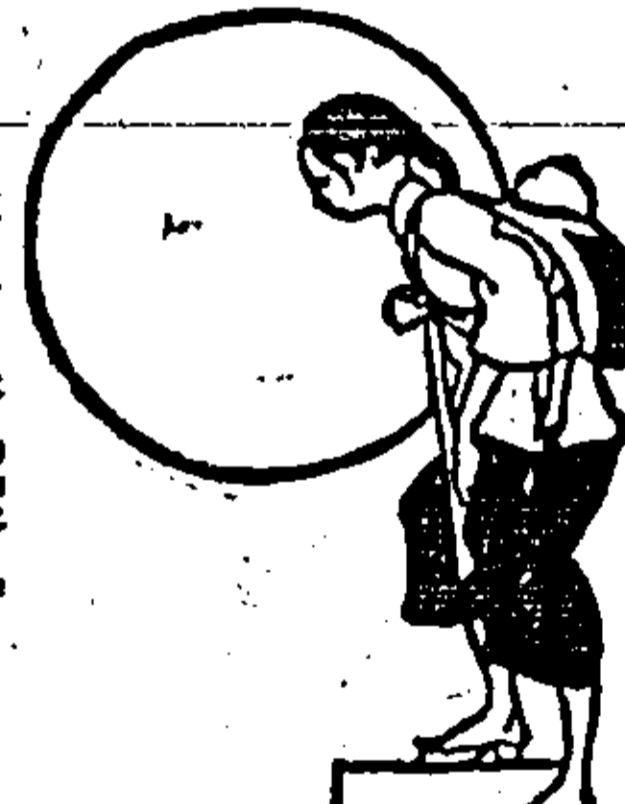
Personally—and I do know that many of my countrymen agree with me in this—I would be disposed to support, as part of the peace settlement following this war, the widest and most ambitious federal

The obvious principle would have been that of the Open Door and rights of equal access to colonial markets and raw materials should be available to League

And these inducements might be so substantial as to form most potent instruments for keeping peace. Equal economic access, to the political rulers, to all colonial territories not yet self-governed is in itself a great inducement.

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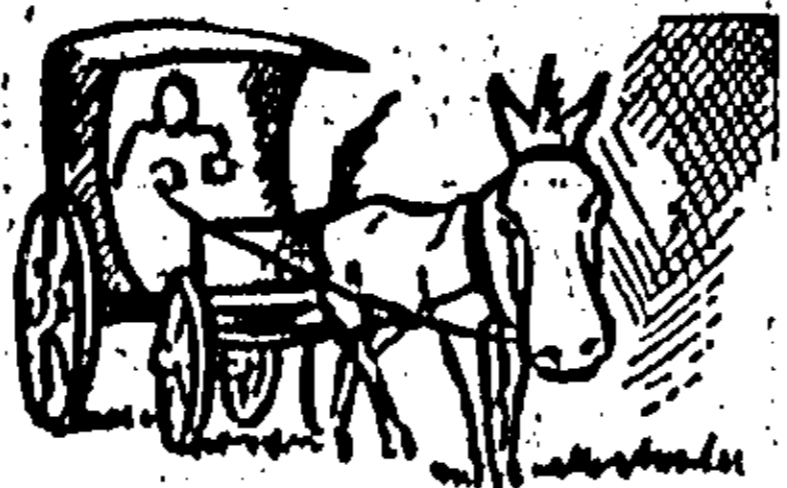
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By William Green
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prayer is that the forces
of Totalitarianism may



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plate even the possibi-
lity of free men submit-
ting to dictatorship.

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States know to-day that
even our country is
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ed the greatest national
defence programme in
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ing to the dictators of
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States say to the workers
of Great Britain and
France: "Keep up your
courageous fight, our
hearts are with you. We
will do everything that
lies within our power to
help you."

Britain "Listens In"

Among radio-speakers
who talk in English at
regular intervals from
abroad the best-known
to British listeners are
Mr. Raymond Gram
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known as Lord Haw
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and Bremen. Strange
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Haw. Britons do not little expectation that not, as they are, im-
believe him, but they the United States will mersed in war and
listen. Partly it is from depart from the isola- thoughts of war.

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My Five Weeks In France

By RONALD
WALKERWar Correspondent with the
R.A.F. in France

It all happened in five astonish-
ing weeks. They are weeks
that seem like years.

Looking back there is but a
muddle of impressions and
memories all crowded one into
the other. I have not yet been
able to sort them out.

During those weeks I saw the
rapid collapse of France. At the
time I did not realise the true
significance of the startling events
which followed one on the other.

Germany invaded Holland on May
10. That evening I left London to
hurry back to R.A.F. H.Q. by boat.
Next morning we were greeted at Le
Havre by the wailing sirens which
were to become all too familiar.
That evening I got back to the town
in the Champagne country which
was our headquarters.

Already the Germans had begun
bombing our aerodromes. Two
1,000lb. bombs had missed the
chateau which housed H.Q., but had
upset the swarm of staff officers who
flew the aeroplanes from office desks.

That is the beginning of the
story. The first real shock came
with the news that the Germans
had broken through at Sedan.

In six days the people of the town
who had watched the streams of
refugees from Belgium and the fron-
tier areas were packing and joining
the procession.

I still marvel at the spirit of the
French people who accepted the fate
which was imposed. They fled from

their homes. Their patience was
heroic.

Before I managed to get a lift
home in an R.A.F. machine from a
port on the west coast of France our
H.Q. had made three moves, dictated
by the rapidly advancing German
forces.

When we drove out of the
Champagne town, it was shak-
ing with the bursting of Ger-
man bombs from machines
which flew about almost un-
challenged.

After the Advanced Air Strik-
ing Force led a thoroughly gipsy life
wandering across France.

During those weeks I was twice
in Paris. It was Paris of the sum-
mer. The Champs Elysees was gay
with the coloured awnings and
umbrellas of the cafes. The capital
carried on, even though the enemy
was pounding at the defences away
to the north-east.

One happening hit the people of
Paris hard during those early days.
I came out at nine o'clock one morn-
ing to learn of the capitulation of
Leopold. Paris did not smile that
day.

Only last Saturday week I was
swimming in the lovely pool of

the Racing Club in the Bois de
Boulogne.

In the hot sun and among the lazy
figures soaking it up, the war seemed
very improbable. Two days later,
the people of Paris were stampeding
out of the city as the Germans swept
across the Seine.

I shall not forget those last hours
in Paris, the courage of the people
suddenly brought face to face with
final disaster, the terrible scenes at
the stations where thousands waited
for hours and days for trains, the
resignation of people who just set
and waited for the end.

Also, I shall never forget
those endless streams of re-
fugees who poured out endless-
ly along all roads leading to the
south. All towns in their path
became babel and confusion.
The din of that unending traffic
still rings in my ears.

My last journey in France was
made in a horse-box—the famous
"Hommes 40 Chevaux 8" kind.
There were nearly 300 of us, R.A.F.
officers and men. We spent two
days in that train to travel some
150 miles. We got to our destina-
tion tired and filthy on Saturday
morning. Bacon and eggs in a
Salvation Army hut cheered us up.
Again we got into a refugee-filled
town. I slept in a garage.

In the morning I got the unex-
pected chance of a seat in an air-
craft. Flying over the English
southern counties the previous five
weeks seemed all the more in-
credible. All those journeys across

Our
ISLAND'S
SAFETYBy Brigadier-General C. F.
ASPINALL-OGLANDER

MR. CHURCHILL warned us of
the grave possibility that has
now become a fact—the possibility
that we might have to continue the
war alone.

A glance at the map shows the
difficulties France has had to endure
in face of the success of Germany's
hammer blows. The thrust to the
Channel ports and the treachery of
King Leopold robbed her of the help
of the greater part of the British
Expeditionary Force and two of her
own armies. It gravely increased
the length of the defensive front that
she had to hold with her depleted
resources and entirely destroyed the
value of the Maginot Line.

The situation for this country is
the gravest in our history, but in
Mr. Churchill's brave words, "We
shall yet weather the storm if we all
do our duty."

But we must first defeat our two
greatest enemies—our smug self-
satisfaction and our habitual and all
but unconquerable self-complacency.

Infinitely serious as the news of
the surrender of the French Army
is there will be one compensating
advantage so far as the safety of this
island is concerned.

So long as the French held out we
in duty bound had to disseminate
our strength by sending every man
and weapon we could spare to that
country and, with the Channel ports
lost, the problem of transporting
them assumed greater and more
difficult proportions every day.

Relieved of that responsibility, we
shall be able to concentrate our
military and air force resources on
defeating any attempts at invasion
which are certain to be made in the
almost immediate future.

It is no longer a question of pro-
tecting ourselves only against attack
from the air and invasion by air-
borne troops.

With the Germans in possession of
the whole coast from Antwerp to the
Atlantic, it can no longer be expect-
ed that our Navy will be able to
guarantee protection from the arrival
of sea borne troops. Fleets of fast
motor-boats can be transported in
hundreds by rail to the French
Channel ports and they can complete
the Channel crossing at lightning
speed.

It is to the Air Force more than
to the Navy that we must look for
assistance to hinder and harass such
motor fleets both on passage and at
the moment of disembarkation; and
there is also the growing need for a
strong mobile force of land troops to
be kept in readiness to proceed to
any threatened point.

The L.D.V. will be of inestimable
value in forwarding early informa-
tion of enemy movements, but they
are not yet sufficiently accurate or
trained to be of real fighting value.

FUNNY SIDE UP

By Abner Dean



"It's a recipe she coaxed out of the concessionaire at the
ball park!"

that lovely French country turned
into chaos by the spread of war were
curiously remote.
The Heinkels which came over
and bombed when we were stopped

in the station at Tours did not seem
so real. And it made me, mad to
think of the Germans stumbling
about the Paris which I had left less
than a week before.

FORGOTTEN MEN OF THE RING

Sparring Partners Who Have Aided Champions To The Top

COLUMNS HAVE BEEN WRITTEN in glowing phrases of the brilliant deeds of the various boxing champions. Headlines have told of Dempsey's terrific hitting power, of Loughran's superlative skill, of Tunney's ring craftsmanship, of Firpo's tigerish ferocity and of Louis's invincibility, but seldom is a thought given to the forgotten men of the ring who helped those men to the top—the sparring partners.

Who they were or where they came from was of little concern, and whence they went was less. But though the sparring partner occupies no niche in boxing's Hall of Fame, they are indispensable units of pugilism.

The arrival of a bunch of sparring partners in a training camp is the signal that serious work is about to begin. The pay isn't bad, as wages go, but the job might last from one day to six weeks.

Dempsey and Tunney were miles apart in the use of training-camp fodder. Tunney seldom employed more than five, and often as few as three sparring mates in preparing for a battle. Dempsey, on the other hand, had little mercy on his hired hands. Even with the 1602 glove Jack exacted a terrific toll. Though it took an exceptionally durable fellow to hold a job at Dempsey's camp, he paid them well.

DEMPSEY'S PARTNERS

ONE of Jack's favourite sparring partners was Martin Burke, the New Orleans Irishman, who could toss a punch in his own right. Martin drew top wages for his labour, but he was a first-class workman.

Another of Jack's favourite hired hands was big Bill Tate. Tate was a gigantic specimen of manhood whose ability to sop up punishment was little short of miraculous. Bill had the misfortune to be born a negro, otherwise he might have landed close to the pugilistic top himself. Not many of the white boys cared to spend an evening in physical combat with the big negro, but he suited Dempsey exactly as a sparring partner.

GODFREY'S FALL

WHEN Dempsey was preparing for the Gibbons fight he imported another gigantic negro to assist Burke and Tate.

The lad in question was George Godfrey, a coloured boy who later became a menace in fight circles. In the course of the training, Godfrey happened to rap Jack one afternoon with a punch that bounced the champion off the canvas. Jack Kearns hastily rang the bell and Jack called off boxing for the afternoon.

Though the knockdown was not serious and might happen to any champion, the word spread like

wildfire that Godfrey had knocked the champion stiff.

CONFESSION

George immediately became quite a personage. At first, Godfrey insisted that Jack simply had run into one, but later, under the warming influence of repeated hospitality, he broke down and confessed that he could knock out Dempsey any day. Naturally, Godfrey's words reached Dempsey's ears, so next afternoon Jack stepped to Godfrey's corner as the gloves were being tied on, and said in a voice that boded no good for Mr. Godfrey: "I hear that you've been saying that you could knock me out any time you wanted to. Now is the time if you ever expect to, because I'm going to give you the works."

Less than a minute later, camp attendants were struggling to lift Mr. Godfrey's limp form out of the ring and down to the dressing room, where the doctor was busy rigging up braces, splints of whatever they use to fix up broken ribs. Dempsey had landed one left to George's ribs.

JEFFRIES THE EXCEPTION

THERE is an old saying, "Often a sparring partner, but never a champion," and in most instances it holds water, one notable exception being Jim Jeffries. The big Californian got his first taste of leather while helping Corbett prepare for his battle with Fitzsimmons. After that Jim forged ahead under his own steam; but his case is an unusual one.

Usually these brave lads are so accustomed to absorbing punches that they are unable to dole them out.

CHAMPIONS IN APPEARANCE

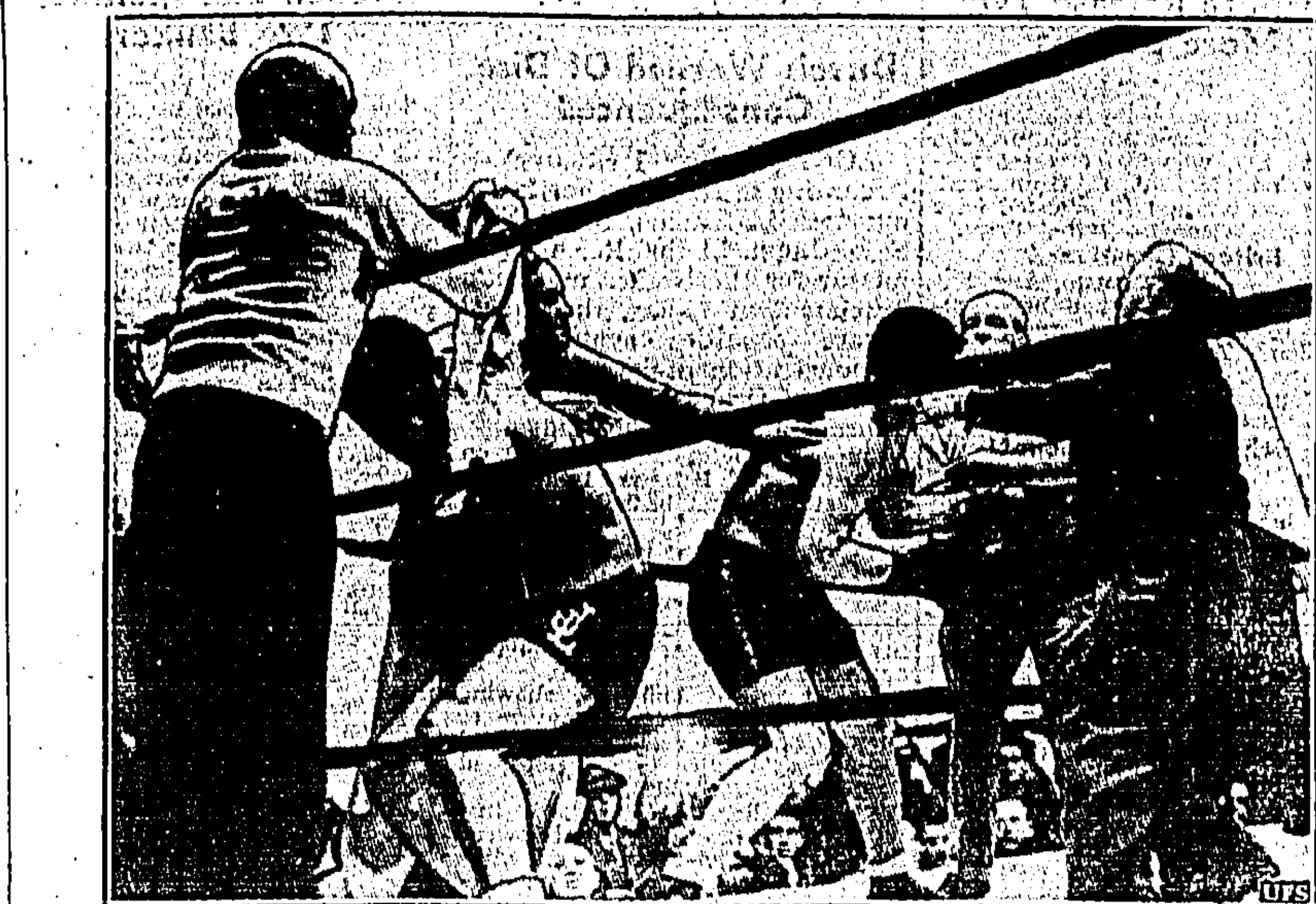
TWO notable cases of this kind were Al Reich and Jack McAuliffe II. They were two men who gave the appearance of becoming champions.

McAuliffe was matched in the semi-final against Luis Firpo. Experts were agreed that McAuliffe would eat and slash Firpo to ribbons.

When the fight started he was completely at sea. Firpo bounced him off the board a few times and had an easy evening scoring a K.O. The pair were in gymnasium, and Firpo couldn't have touched him.

Reich's case a few years before was almost identically the same—a champion in the gym, but a third-rater in the ring.

There is no doubt that these hu-



Louis-Baer Bout Abandoned

NEW YORK, July 27 (UP).—Mike Jacobs, leading promoter, announced today that he had abandoned plans for a world heavyweight championship clash in September between Joe Louis, title-holder, and Max Baer, former champion. He announced that Louis instead will fight the winner of the bout between Billy Conn, world light-heavyweight champion, and Bob Pastor, New York heavyweight title-holder. The bout between Conn and Pastor, who was twice beaten by Louis, will be held next month.

COURAGEOUS CRIPPLE BECOMES TRACK ATHLETE

SEBASTOPOL, Cal.—Greater courage hath no man than that which goads him to surmount his own misfortunes. That might well be the slogan of 20-year-old Louis Lombard who, despite a useless right leg, became a high school track star and now is pointing toward an active athletic life in junior college.

The story goes back to 1928 when Lombard, then eight years old, was a high school track star and now is pointing toward an active athletic life in junior college. A gasoline drum exploded suddenly, hurling him across the shop into a lake of burning gasoline and crumpling his right leg.

Skilful doctors saved his life after a long battle, but when he was released from the hospital, his injured leg remained twisted and shrunken. He was a cripple for life, and remained under physicians' care four more years.

Wistfully, he watched other school-boys from his window as they cavorted at play.

ATHLETIC RECORD

TO-DAY, even though he must use a crutch, Lombard is graduating from Sebastopol High School with an athletic record. He has been a member of the school's track team, winning points during his career in the high jump hurdles and pole vaulting events.

LOUIS—MANHANDLER

JOE Louis, the "Brown Bomber," from Detroit, is about as hard on his sparring partners as was Dempsey. In fact, no fighter in recent years pummelled and man-handled his training camp aides as did Louis for the Camera fight.

Perhaps it was part of the publicity, but the fact remains that almost all of Joe's sparring partners were so roughed that Lou Eux, thought a tornado had hit him. He came back for a second round but Louis felled him twice more.

Larry Johnson, not so long ago one of the most promising prospects in American boxing, was determined to have no such nonsense, but Louis sent him through the ropes with a right to the jaw in the second.

Bobby Dunn, the last victim, was lifted completely off his feet and driven so fast through the air that his great body actually bounced when it hit the canvas.

It took twenty minutes to bring him back to life.

All these sparring partners regained their jobs when they remained consciousness. Of course, that kind of man-handling is repulsive to most fighters, especially if they have any standing in the public community, but in the case of Dempsey, Louis and others whose punching powers must be advertised for drawing a big "gate," there is probably some excuse.

His face battered and bloody, Arturo Godoy, the Chilean heavyweight, is restrained as he wants to continue fighting Joe Louis, at the New York bout, after the referee, Cavanagh had stopped the fight in the 8th round. Louis, at left, is shielded by his trainer, Blackburn.

West Conference Athletes Foremost In America

CHICAGO, Ill.—The Western Conference Track and Field Championships have produced no less than 11 Olympic champions who, among them, have won a total of 22 world's titles.

Jesse Owens, the Ohio State ace, accounted for three victories in the 1936 games at Berlin, but his record is surpassed by Archie Hahn of Michigan, who won the 100-metre title in 1904 and 1906 and the 60 metres and 200 metres in 1904.

J. D. Lightbody of Chicago was a three-time winner, at 800 metres and 1,500 metres in 1906 and at the metric mile in 1904. Ralph Rose of Michigan was a shutout winner in 1904, 1906, and 1912.

A double winner was Eddie Tolan of Michigan, who won the two sprint events at the 1932 games in Los Angeles.

OTHER WINNERS

OTHER winners who had first earned reputations as Conference champions were Jackson Scholz of Missouri, the 1924 200-metre champion; Dan Kinsey of Illinois, 1924 high hurdles champion; George Saling of Iowa, 1932 high hurdles champion; C. E. Dvorak of Michigan, 1904 winner in the pole vault; Harold Osborne of Illinois, 1924 high jump champion; Delbert Hubbard, Michigan's 1924 broad jump champion, and Eddie Gordon, broad jump winner in 1932.

Only in 1920 and 1928 have Conference representatives failed to win an Olympic event. With the 1940 Olympic Games cancelled, speculation centres on those of the current crop who might be of Olympic championship calibre. Outstanding are Roy Cochran of Indiana, international 400-metre hurdles champion; Campbell Kane, one of the most promising middle-

Recreio Rinks For Week-end League Bowls

THE FOLLOWING RINKS have been chosen to represent the Club de Recreio in League lawn bowls matches this week-end:

"A" v. Civil Service C.C. (away, 3.30 p.m.).—L. J. Silva, F. X. Soares, R. F. Luz and H. A. Alves.
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J. A. Luz, C. E. Marques, J. F. Ribeiro and C. G. Silva.

"B" v. Kowloon B.G.C. (home, 3.30 p.m.).—F. A. Machado, C. A. Lopes, C. Roza Pereira and B. Bacto.
D. C. Alves, C. H. Basto, A. P. Guterres and J. J. Basto.
M. F. Alarcon, A. F. Noronha, J. C. Remedios and J. E. Noronha.
2nd team v. Talkos (home, 3.30 p.m.).—H. R. Pinna, P. Yvanovich, J. R. Soares and O. P. Remedios.
P. M. N. Silva, J. A. Remedios, C. M. Alves and A. M. Rodrigues.
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Yours truly,
W. B. BRETT

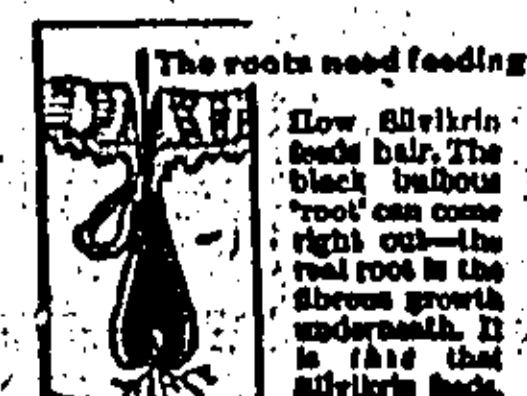
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By Ernie Bushmiller

British detachment fought till last man dead

ATTACKED by the enemy, a British post in France fought on until every man was either killed or wounded.

The Germans, approaching near, called on the post's commander—Second-Lieutenant Robert John Hyde-Thomson, of the Durham Light Infantry—to surrender.

He answered by shooting the enemy leader and hurling a hand grenade which dispersed the rest. He escaped and organised a counter-attack. Later in the same day he brought in a wounded man under heavy fire.

His heroism in the face of extreme danger earned for him a Military Cross—one of fifteen announced by the War Office.

Twelve Distinguished Conduct Medals and eighteen Military Medals were also announced.

Another officer to receive the Military Cross was Lieutenant (acting Captain) John Malcolm Thorpe Churchill, of the Manchester Regiment.

His company surrounded, he fired his two machine guns until there was no ammunition left. Then he destroyed the guns, and extricated his men by passing through the enemy lines after dark.

Second Lieutenant Donald Fraser Gallander, of the Camerons, was in charge of a platoon attacked by tanks.

With their anti-tank guns, the platoon put twenty-one enemy tanks out of action.

He too receives the Military Cross.

Platoon Sergeant-Major Milligan, also of the Camerons, is one of the men to receive the D.C.M.

The official account of his bravery says:

"By his skill and leadership two enemy machine guns and fifteen prisoners were captured; the same night he took part in an attack, and though wounded five times continued the advance. His courage and leadership showed a splendid example to his men."

Private Brooks, of the Queen's Regiment, a despatch rider—

At La Bassée carried despatches between battalion headquarters and company headquarters through continuous shelling and small arms fire with total disregard for personal safety until he was finally blown off his machine by a shell.

Lance-Corpl. W. Rutherford, of the Royal Scots, also won a M.M. when he "showed conspicuous bravery in driving a truck which evacuated over 100 casualties under incessant shell-fire."

During a tank attack on battalion headquarters the order to withdraw

had been given. The buildings were blazing. Lance-Corpl. Jackson, of the Camerons, "showed great courage and complete disregard for his own safety in evacuating many wounded who were lying in the open in front of headquarters."

"He carried the men to the rear of the building under heavy machine gun fire and mortar fire and had them placed on transport. But for his coolness and bravery many more men would have been lost."

It was another story of gallantry which earned the M.M.

Another was Lance-Corporal L. Smeeton, of the Royal Berkshire Regt.

His section post was isolated from the rest of the company.

"His personal example and powers of leadership," says the official account, "enabled him to hold the enemy at bay, and for thirty-six hours he kept his post in action against continual pressure from the enemy."

There is told, too, the story of Private V. Tibbary, of the Queen's Regt., another to win the M.M.

Private Prior is a despatch rider who "carried out his duties with most conspicuous coolness and bravery."

More especially did he distinguish himself at La Bassée, where he was almost continuously on the road between Battalion Headquarters and forward companies, and carried out his duties through shelling and continual low bombing attacks.

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1.03 Albert Sandler and His Orchestra and Charles Kullman (Tenor).

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Selections from Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado."

2.15 Close Down.

6.00 Latest Dance Music.

7.02 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

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Welsh Glee Singers with Piano, in Welsh.

7.30 London Relay—The News.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 A Variety Programme.

9.00 London Relay—The News.

9.30 London Relay—"World Affairs" by Wickham Steed.

9.45 A Request Classical Programme—Overture "William Tell" (Rossini), Boston Promenade Orchestra cond. by Arthur Fiedler; Prologue "Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo), with Dennis Noble (Baritone) with Sadler's Wells Orchestra; Legende, Op. 17 (Wieniawski), Yehudi Menuhin (Violin), and Orchestre Des Concerts Colonne cond. by Georges Enesco; Song of the Volga Boatmen (Koonemann), Theodore Chailaphin (Bass) with Orchestra; Toccata "Finlandia" (Sibelius), Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra; See here, thy flow'et ("Carmen"—Bizet), Beniamino Gigli (Tenor) with Orchestra; Nocturne in G Minor, Op. 15, No. 3 (Chopin), Nocturne in F Sharp Major, Op. 15, No. 2 (Chopin), Arthur Schnitzler (Piano); Like a Dream ("Marta"—Flotow), Jussi Bjorling (Tenor) with Orchestra; Concerto in E Minor, Op. 64 (Mendelssohn), 2nd and 3rd Movements only, Fritz Kreisler (Violin) and The State Opera Orchestra; Concerto for Trumpet and Orchestra (Haydn), George Edlstaile (Trumpet) and Symphony Orchestra.

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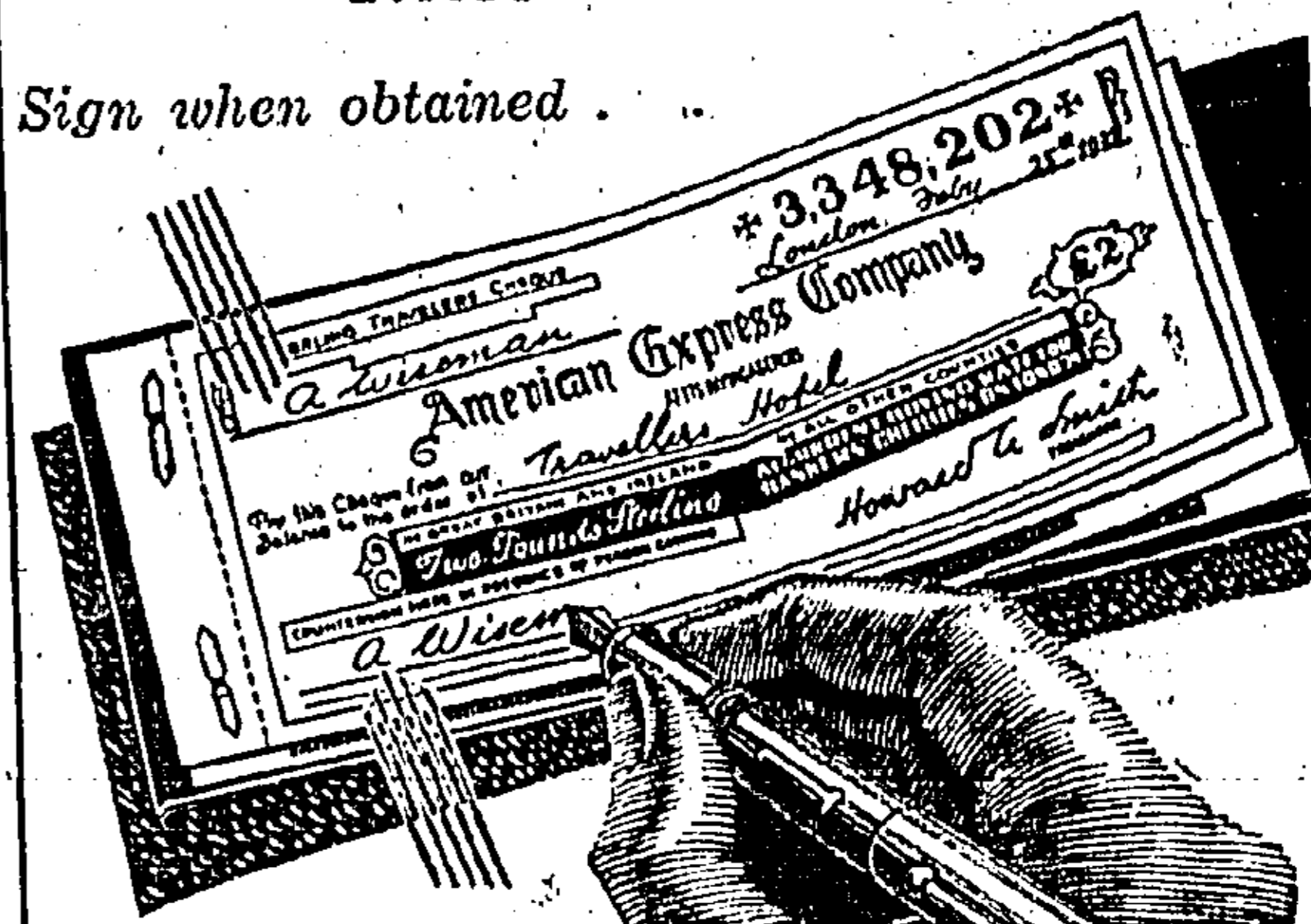
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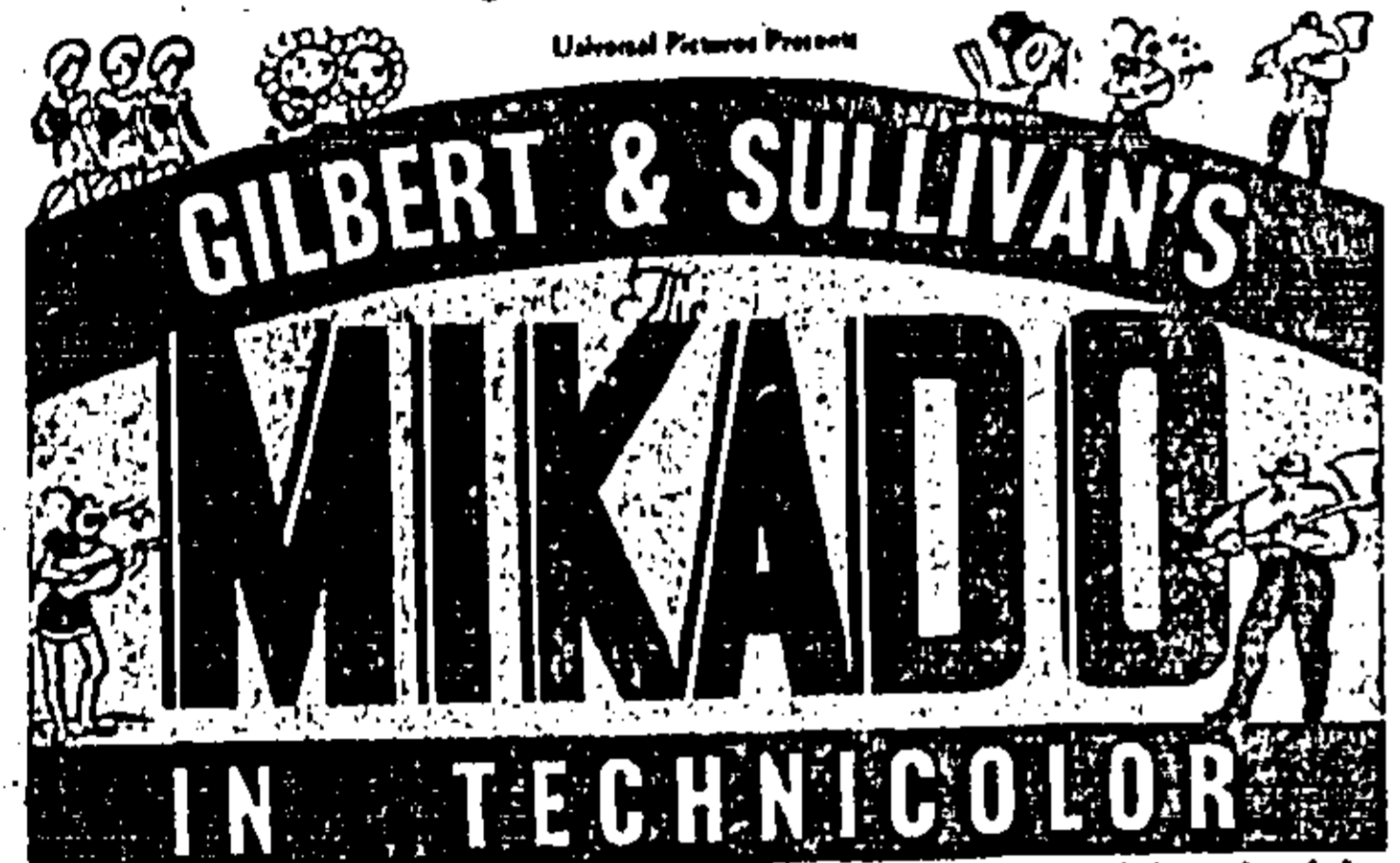
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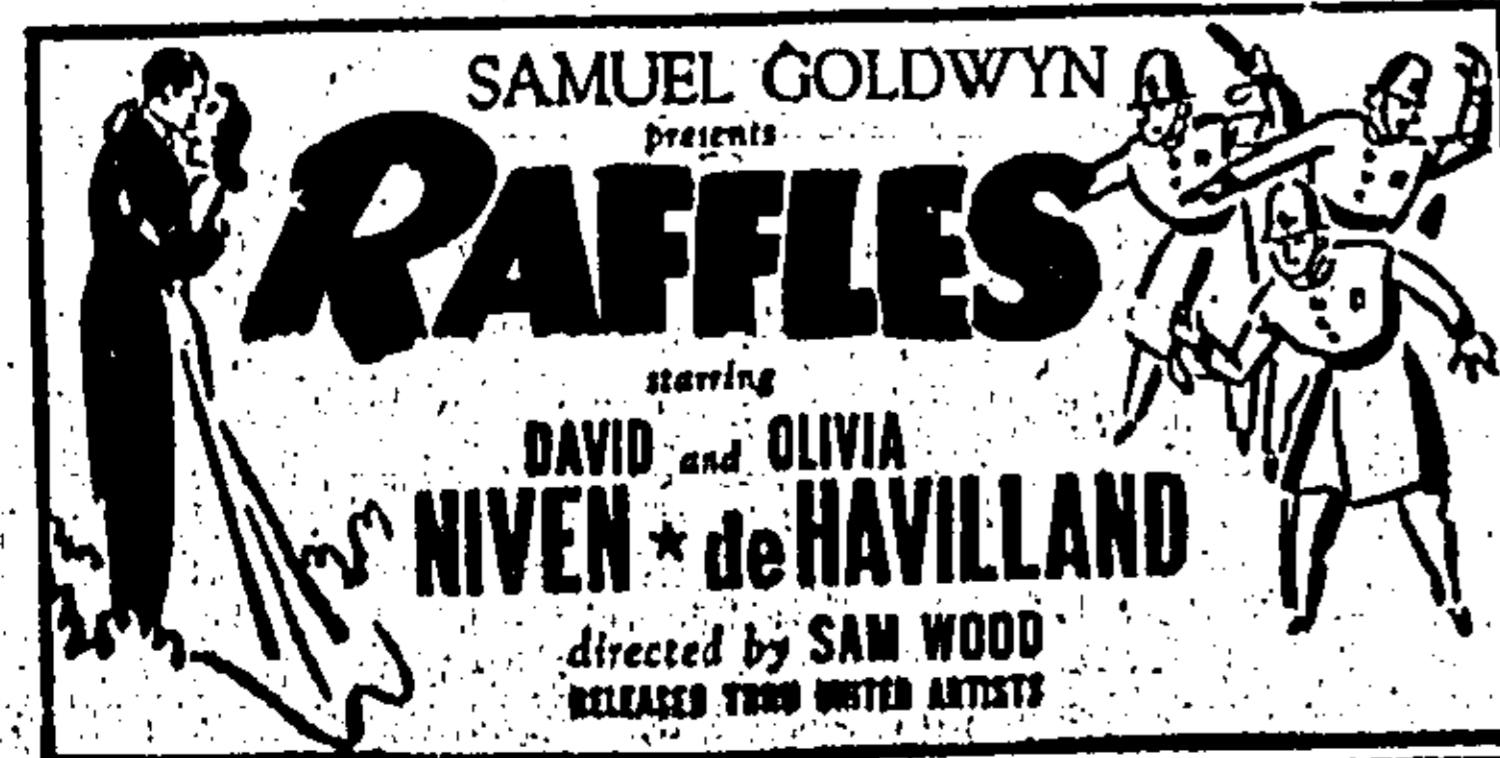
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Labour Volunteers

Ministry Forms Branch To Organise Foreigners

London, Aug. 1. The Minister for Labour and National Service, Mr. Ernest Bevin, in the House of Commons today announced the formation of an International Labour Branch as part of the Employment Department of the Ministry of Labour with a view to organising the manpower of Allied nations and other well-disposed persons of foreign nationality in the United Kingdom.

Mr. Bevin added that he hoped to have the advice and assistance of an advisory committee including trade union representatives from foreign countries. He hoped thereby to get valuable assistance in establishing the bona fides of well-disposed foreigners and in bringing sympathetic consideration to bear on individual cases.

Asked to see that Englishmen had preference, Mr. Bevin replied that it was the policy of his Department to see that British people had preference, but at present he was extremely short of skilled men and in utilising the skill and ability of a number of foreigners he would actually be putting British people to work.

Mr. Bevin declared that his Department had nothing to do with people who were interned, the question of whose release was a matter for the Home Secretary. His committee would work through the Trade Union Congress with the assistance of the Employers' Organisation.

Concluding, Mr. Bevin said: "I do not propose to use the term aliens or refugees. It is my intention once foreigners have been passed on to me by the Security Department and when security is not in danger to call them an international labour force."

Reuter.

CANTON DISPUTE

British River-boat Held During Negotiations

Following a dispute, the China Navigation Company's Fatshan, on the Hongkong-Canton service, has been delayed. The steamer left Hongkong for Canton on Tuesday and was to have returned last night. Her departure yesterday morning was delayed pending solution of a certain question that has arisen regarding the terms of operation on the Canton river. No details of the question have been revealed.

It is expected that the matter will be settled shortly, and the steamer is expected to leave for Hongkong today.

The Japanese Consul-General at Hongkong, Mr. Okazaki, said yesterday that he did not know how the dispute had arisen.

LATE NEWS

Blinded Man Went Back to France



FIGHT ON — French General Charles de Gaulle, who urged French people in broadcast from London, to carry on fight against Nazis. Potain government in Bordeaux stripped him of his rank after his appeal.

AN operation which would have restored a blind man's sight could not be performed because of Hitler's invasion of Holland.

M. Michel Lenglet, blind for ten years, travelled to Utrecht, Holland, from his home in France before the outbreak of war. A famous Dutch surgeon there had promised to try to give him back his sight.

The surgeon, Professor Weve, performed three operations on him. He could see a little with special glasses, and a fourth operation promised the complete restoration of his sight.

But Hitler's invasion prevented that last operation from being performed, and M. Lenglet was forced to leave the country as a refugee. He arrived at an East Coast port and after a few hours in England he left for his home in Calais, where his wife and three children are waiting for him.

He has never seen his youngest child who is five, and he is hurrying back to France in the hope that he will be able to see the baby before his sight—which is fading again—goes completely.

"My Dear Wife"

"And I wanted to see my dear wife just once again." "I can see the sun, you know. I know when it is shining, and for that I am thankful. It will be wonderful to be with my family once more, even though I may never see them again."

"There was an incessant ear-splitting noise of bombs," he said, "I knew they were dropping all around us, and I heard little children crying. It was a pity I could not have my final operation. I know that it would have been a success."

"If only I could see, I would help to fight this evil. But now there is nothing I can do."

M.P. Discards Title

Second-Lieutenant John Profumo, M.P., in accordance with an intention approved of by his late father, Baron Albert Profumo, K.C., has decided not to assume the title.

He will continue to be known as Mr. Profumo.

Pastor's Wife Carries On His Duties

"THIS is so much easier than finding somebody else," says thirty-four-year-old Mrs. Ruby Leyland, who has temporarily taken over the duties of her husband, the Rev. A. Stanley Leyland, minister at Coniscliffe-road Methodist Church, Darlington.

Mr. Leyland has been ordered to take a complete rest for some weeks. This job which his wife finds so easy means keeping two or three engagements each week-day, taking a mid-week epilogue service and two Sunday services—one in the afternoon for children and the evening service.

In addition to sick visiting and looking after her own home, on Sunday, May 5, she will deputise for her husband at the Sunday School anniversary at the Methodist Church at St. George's, Shropshire, where she will conduct three services, preach two sermons, give a solo in the evening.

"I Love The Work"
"It certainly will be a full day," Mrs. Leyland said: "but I love the work. I preached for the first time at the age of sixteen, so it almost becomes part of my life."

As a member of the congregation at St. George's, her husband will attend the services and will therefore hear his wife preach in the church where he was christened, and was a chorister, and where, on that day, his father, Mr. Alfred Leyland, will complete forty years' service as choir-master.

SOUTH AFRICAN LEADER

Johannesburg, Aug. 1. It was announced today that the commander of the South African forces in East Africa is Brig. D. H. Fehman, who had wide experience in fighting in East Africa in the Great War.—Reuter.

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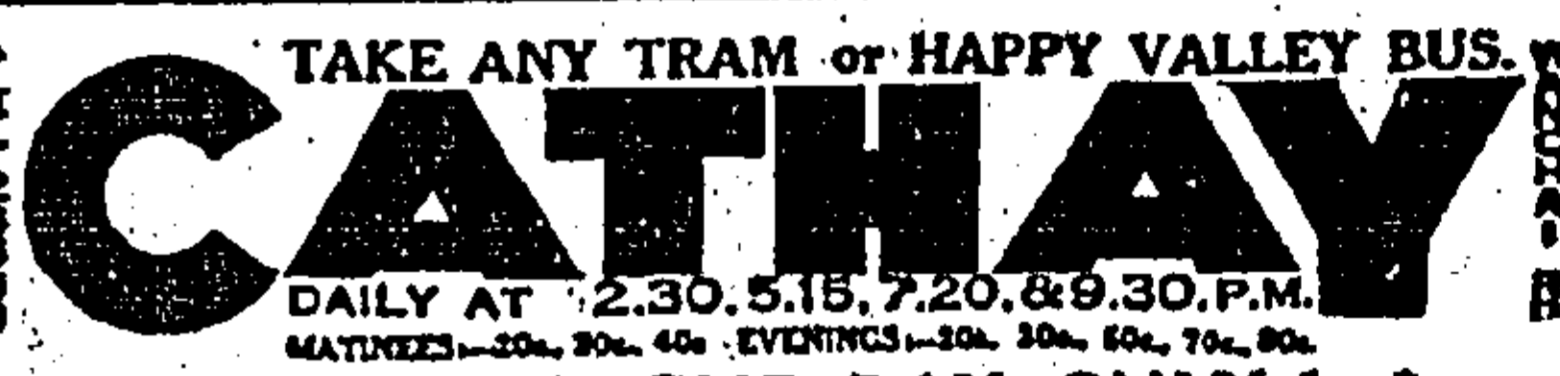
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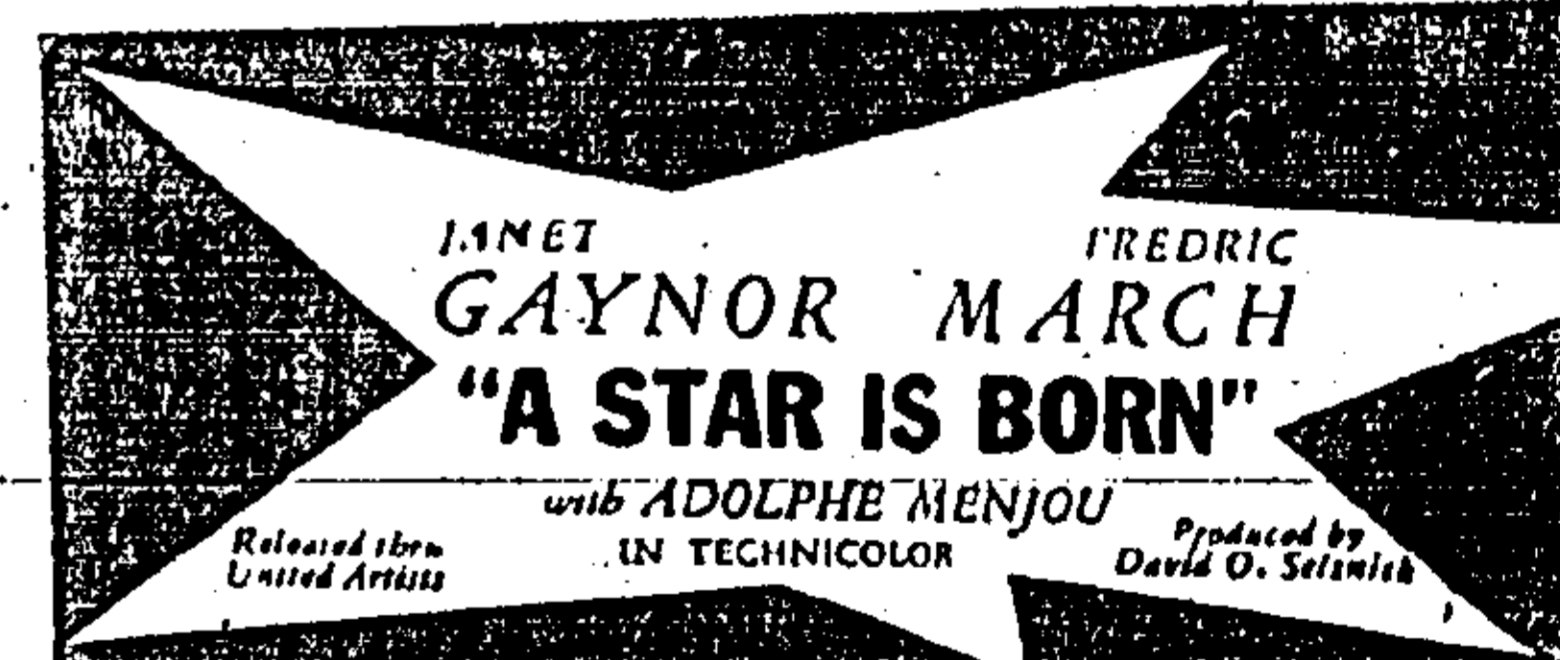


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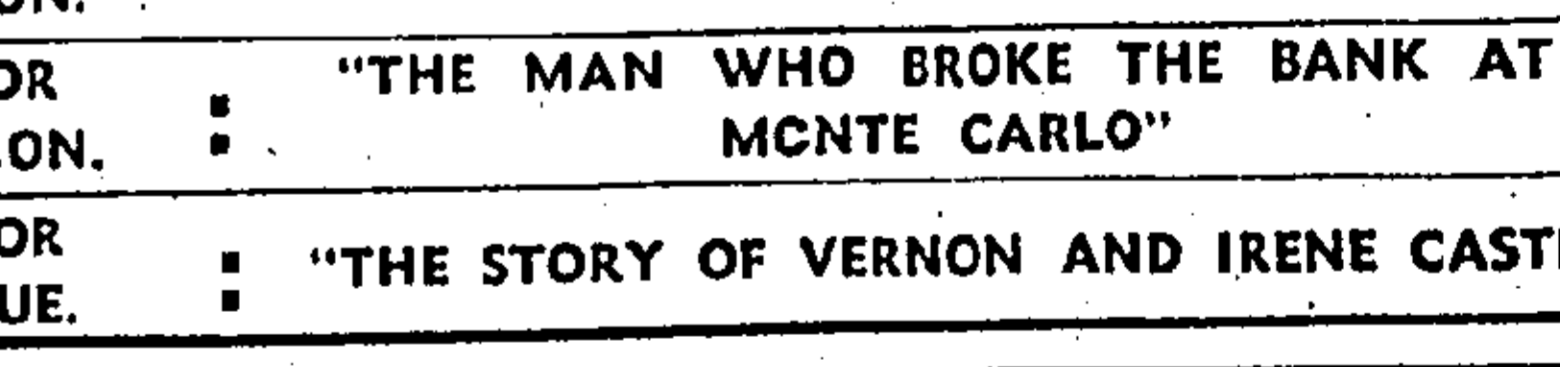
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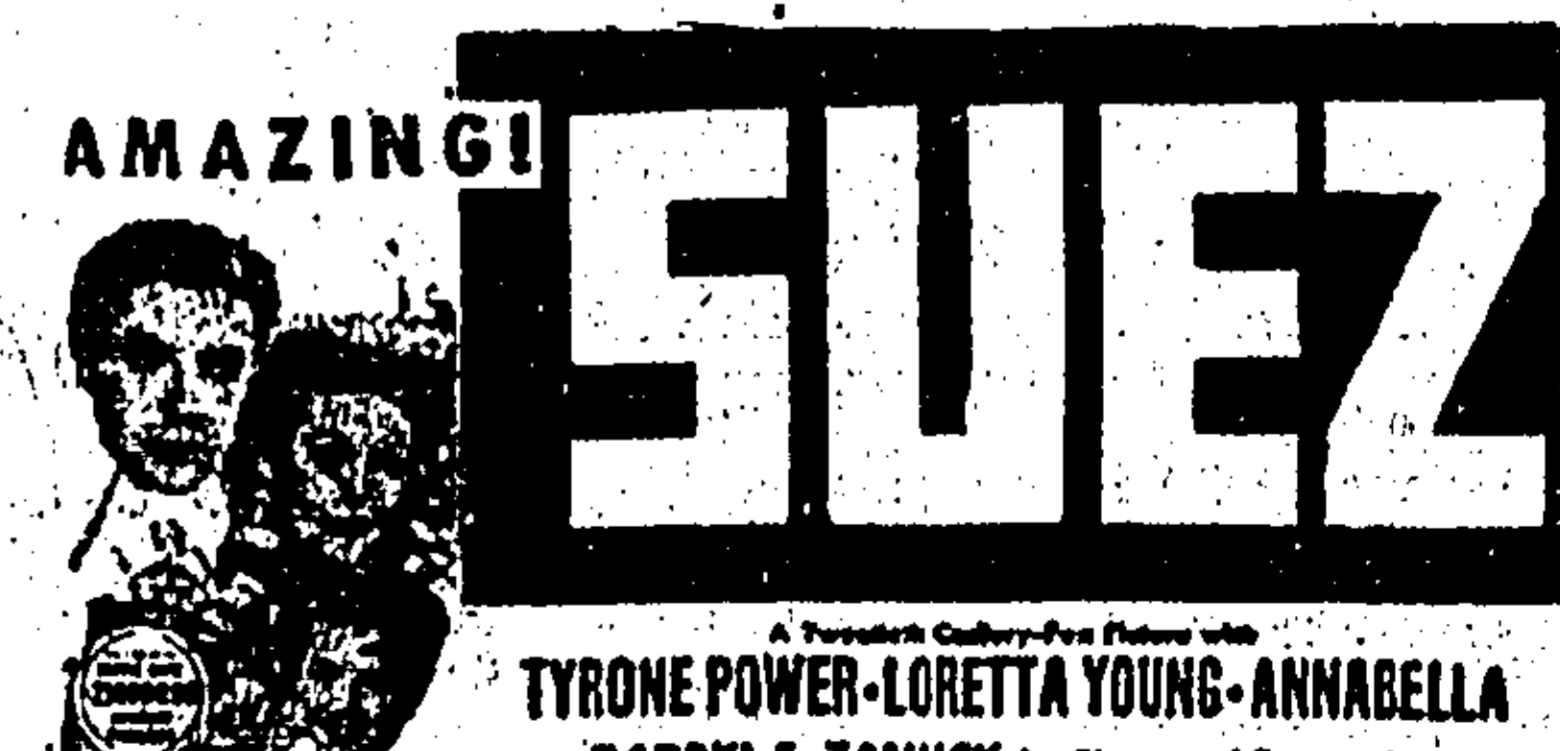


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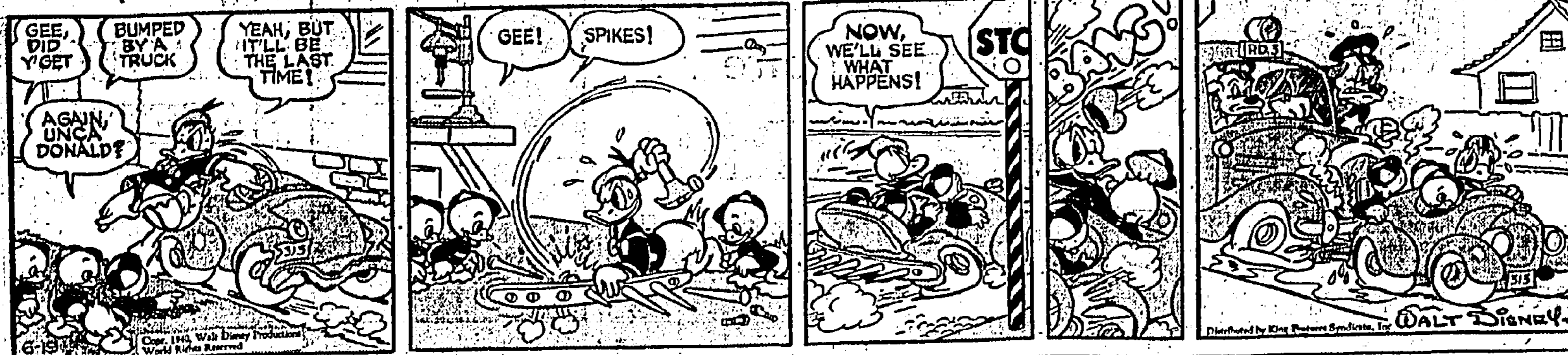
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ARE YOU SURE?

1. What has hands but no fingers?
2. How long did the waters prevail while Noah took refuge in the ark?
3. The swan (1) is as good as it is (2) has been known to attack and kill children (3) will rescue drowning children.
4. Why does the wrong number seem never to be busy?
5. What is a franked letter?
6. What is the name of Gene Autry's horse?
7. Who is known as the Sage of Emporia?
8. The President has power to grant reprieves and pardons for offenses against the United States except in cases of _____.
9. Rube Goldberg is a (1) crazy mechanic, (2) cartoonist, (3) naturalist.
10. What English King was King of Scotland before he took the English throne?
11. What is the difference between a tornado and a typhoon?
12. From what city does port wine get its name?
13. Which two teeth normally come through first?
14. Express the decimal .005 as a percentage.



ANSWERS

1. A clock.
2. One hundred and fifty days.
3. (2) has been known to attack and kill children.
4. Because if it were busy, you'd never know it was the wrong number.
5. A letter which due to the sender's official position has been sent free of the usual post office charges.
6. Champion or Champ.
7. William Allen White.
8. Impeachment.
9. (2) cartoonist.
10. James I.
11. A tornado is a storm over land. A typhoon is a storm over the sea.
12. Oporto, Portugal.
13. The lower two front teeth.
14. ½ %

Thoughts on INTERIOR DECORATION

I think I have dealt pretty thoroughly with interior house decoration in the past. We will now carry on with the exterior.

Home owners only are included in this treatise because, as we all know, a landlord doesn't care if the front wall falls in so long as he gets his rent.

WE will start with the gate. If it has rusty hinges and the latch won't work, just tear it off and throw it away. It's useless, anyway. Anybody can open it.

A front lawn is only a week-end penance, and should be dug up and cast aside.

All cracks in the outer walls should be filled in. Soap is not bad, and it is easy to work, although the house during a wet weather is likely to froth a bit.

Still, I think this is rather picturesque, especially if you use scented soap.

The roof should be gone over thoroughly, preferably in the daytime. One is liable to render one's self conspicuous crawling about the roof with a hurricane lamp in the middle of the night.

The first thing to do when inspection of the roof is contemplated is to go somewhere and borrow a ladder. This takes about three days.

Always get your wife to hold the ladder, so that you have something soft to fall on in case of accidents.

HAVING reached the roof, examine the guttering carefully for birds' nests, tennis balls, stones, and empty rum flasks.

We then come to the roof proper. If it is a tiled roof it is better to stay on the ladder. This also applies to slate roofs.

Corrugated iron roofs may be inspected with a fair amount of impunity, and you can always get someone to call the local fire brigade to get you down again.

If the roof needs painting, paint yourself all over first and then paint the roof. Then, if you get paint on you while painting the roof it won't matter.

Having finished the roof, wipe your hands on your hair and go to the nearest hotel and have three pints. I make this an invariable rule when painting roofs.

My wife often wonders why I paint the roof six times a week.

When (and if) you get down off the roof, the front and back doors and the next things to be examined.

You will probably find that all the paint is scratched off around the keyhole and that the lower portion is dented in various places where you have been kicking it when you have lost your key.

If the door is very bad, take it off its hinges and turn it upside so that the outside is on the inside.

People who nonchalantly raise and shut windows would be astonished if they could see the inner workings. Pulleys, ropes, and lead weights are necessary to open a window. Brute strength is necessary to shut it.

I wonder what sticky-beak invented windows?

Verandahs, if you have any, should be inspected for white ants and borers once a month. It is embarrassing for any home-owner to invite his guest out on to the verandah and see him plunge through the floorboards into the cellar.

Have you a cellar? People without cellars don't know what they're missing.

When our doorbell rings and we don't know who it is we always go into the cellar.

During the depression we practically lived in it. It was a bit damp

and I think that's where I contracted my pneumonia. But it was worth it.

Now that we have risen in financial status, we are living in the attic.

We are not so troubled with the rats, but we occasionally have bats.

I would like to tell you about tuckpointing and dampcourses, but I haven't the time. This is a pity because the dampcourse is particularly fascinating.

I speak as one who has been over the course.

Strangely enough, there are no winter jumps.

I now have an important appointment to avoid. EXCUSE ME!

This may be a bit confusing at first, when you think you're going out when you're coming in. But you'll get used to it in time. After all, appearance is everything.

Windows should come next. Good taste dictates that a window with a busted sash-cord should not be propped up with an empty sauce bottle.

Replacing sash-cords is a tedious job, and I have found it easier to punch a hole in the window when fresh air is needed and paste a piece of brown paper over it when you feel that the window should be shut.

This method may seem unconventional, but it works.

What structure, less complete than a full world government, would both serve our immediate purpose, and allow of future extension? It should, I think, contain two elements, first a Universal World Society, with certain minimum obligations and minimum rights of membership, to which all nations should belong. And, second, within this world-wide membership regional groups, more closely knit, in Europe and in other parts of the world, with much more pooling of sovereignty and a much higher level of common obligations and rights than in the wider body. Both parts of this dual structure will, I think, be found to be necessary.

Some critics of the League of Nations say that it failed because it was too universal. But, in truth, it was never universal. The United States was never a member. Germany did not join till 1926, nor Russia till 1934. Japan, Germany, and Italy left during the period of decline after 1931 because they chose aggression and treaty-breaking rather than the rules of the League Covenant. Brazil and other American states resigned for less substantial reasons. Some member states have been disappeared because they have been eaten alive by aggressors. And Russia has just been expelled for trying to eat Finland alive.

But because the League was never universal and, in particular, because the United States was not a member, it was never possible to make League membership attractive from the economic standpoint.

The obvious principle would have been that of the Open Door and rights of equal access to colonial markets and raw materials should be available to League

members and to them only. In that case to leave or to be expelled from the League would be to lose solid economic advantages. But such a policy of discrimination was never practical politics, given that the United States preferred to stay outside the League. And thus, on those occasions when strong centrifugal forces showed themselves at Geneva, there was no steady pull the other way. It was partly because membership seemed to be worth so little, either in normal or abnormal times, that in the end the League fell to bits. And for this inherent weakness in the League the United States bears almost all the responsibility.

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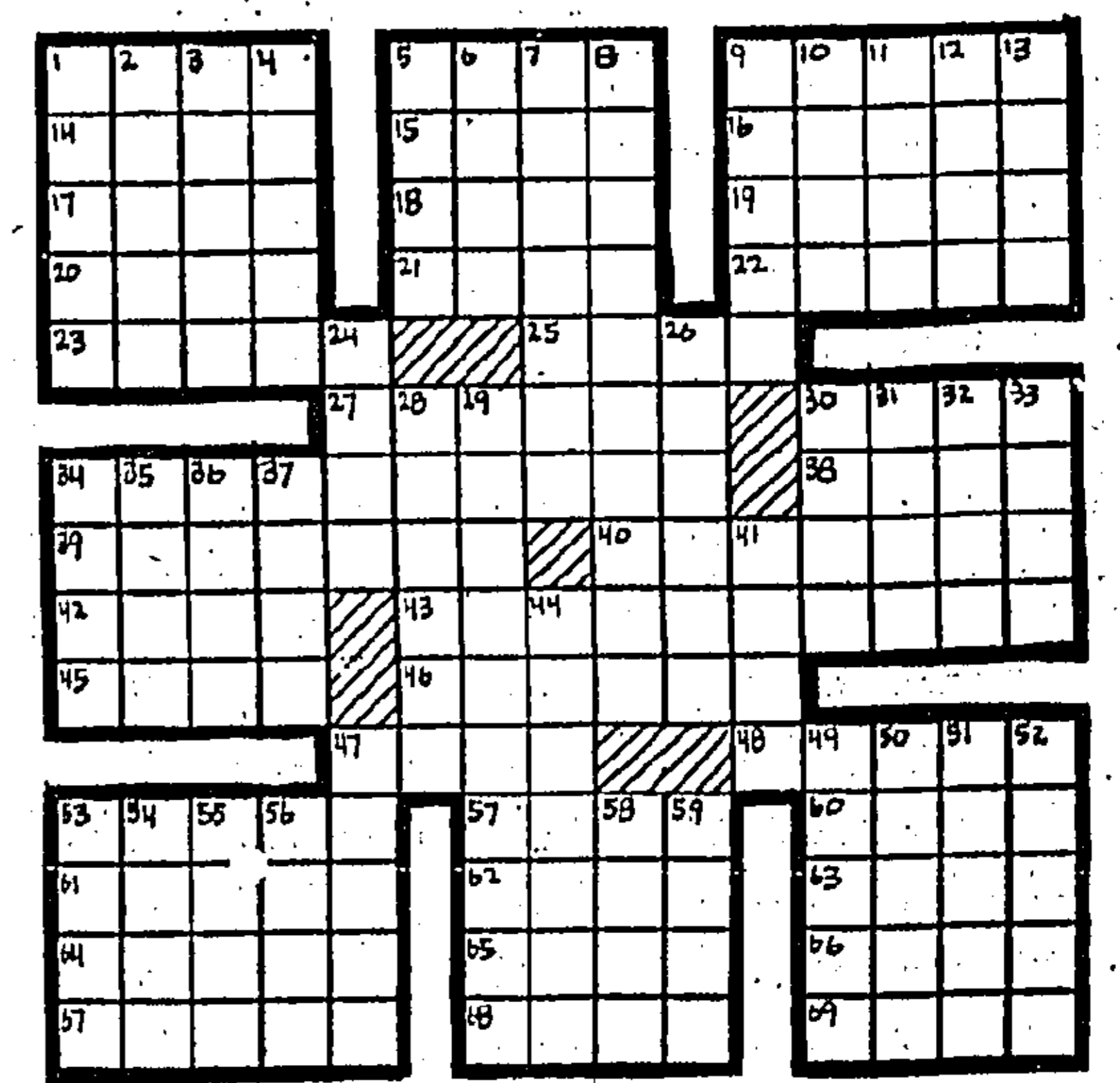
By LARS MORRIS

ACROSS

- German card game
- One who mimics
- Cup-shaped vessel with handle
- Large volume
- One who is a social
- Figure
- Length times width
- Religious faction
- Handle out
- Curse, as leather
- Crime
- Popular movie actor
- Terminated
- Was carried
- Sturdy music
- Particular instance
- Lead-like
- Impaled
- Urged to action
- In movement toward
- Repaired
- That which thinks
- Deriving by inheritance
- Was contained
- Come up
- Wipers
- Kind of heron
- Sturdy music
- Mountain in Italy
- Washed
- Custom
- Completed transaction on
- Musical study

DOWN

- Change
- Formless
- Variously mottled
- Demanded repulsion
- Glass back
- Superficial extent
- Drill
- Leaves to hang out, as tongue
- Young girl
- Cath
- Fun of
- Outman general
- Interpreted
- Propriet
- Famous opera
- Indian corn
- Exchange premium
- Get to shore
- Clamping device
- Border on
- Kind of flower
- European title
- Diamond
- Level
- Short and pointed
- Eldest son of Noah
- Top of head
- Border on
- Travel in vehicle
- Laurel
- Bum up



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CASE FOR FEDERAL UNION

THE Discussion which Mr. Clarence Streit's book, "Union Now," started, both in Europe and America, is wholly to be welcomed. To-day rational thought on the problems of Federal Union is still possible. Moreover, when the storm of war has passed and the time has come to rebuild, ideas and projects worked out now, even though they shall seem for a while to have been buried, may

come to peaceful life again.

The only solid reason why I hesitate to back Mr. Streit's plan as it stands is because I do not believe that American opinion will back it. I cannot think that the United States will accept so wholesale a pooling of their national sovereignty with Old Europe.

Personally—and I do know that many of my countrymen agree with me in this—I would be disposed to support, as part of the peace settlement following this war, the widest and most ambitious federal

scheme that will win general consent.

Many of us in Britain who backed the League of Nations, Woodrow Wilson's child, from its birth—even when it was disowned in the land of its parentage—even when its Covenant was constantly violated, both in the letter and the spirit, even when in successive crises the courage of Governments, British and other, oozed out of their boots, even when aggressors, first in one continent and then in another, broke the peace and themselves were not broken, would be prepared at the end of this war, for something much bigger and bolder and stronger than that most disappointing League.

The opposition to bold federal schemes will not come from those like-minded with us. It will come from faint hearts, from the vested national interests, from the traditionalists, and the isolationists in all lands, from those who ask "Am I my brother's keeper?" and "don't know the answer."

The obvious sensible solution is to set up a world government, and crown all national sovereignties. But this, I fear, will be too simple and too quick for the treaty makers. If so, we shall have to do our best with something less.

We must be prepared to take the most we can get of powers for a supranational authority—or, for several such authorities—to consolidate that conquest, and then strive to enlarge it. We must seek to dilute national sovereignty, if we cannot crown it, to the greatest extent possible over the widest possible area. For, indeed, as has been well said, we must choose in future between sovereignty and security.

What structure, less complete than a full world government, would both serve our immediate purpose, and allow of future extension? It should, I think, contain two elements, first a Universal World Society, with certain minimum obligations and minimum rights of membership, to which all nations should belong. And, second, within this world-wide membership regional groups, more closely knit, in Europe and in other parts of the world, with much more pooling of sovereignty and a much higher level of common obligations and rights than in the wider body. Both parts of this dual structure will, I think, be found to be necessary.

Some critics of the League of Nations say that it failed because it was too universal. But, in truth, it was never universal. The United States was never a member. Germany did not join till 1926, nor Russia till 1934. Japan, Germany, and Italy left during the period of decline after 1931 because they chose aggression and treaty-breaking rather than the rules of the League Covenant. Brazil and other American states resigned for less substantial reasons. Some member states have been disappeared because they have been eaten alive by aggressors. And Russia has just been expelled for trying to eat Finland alive.

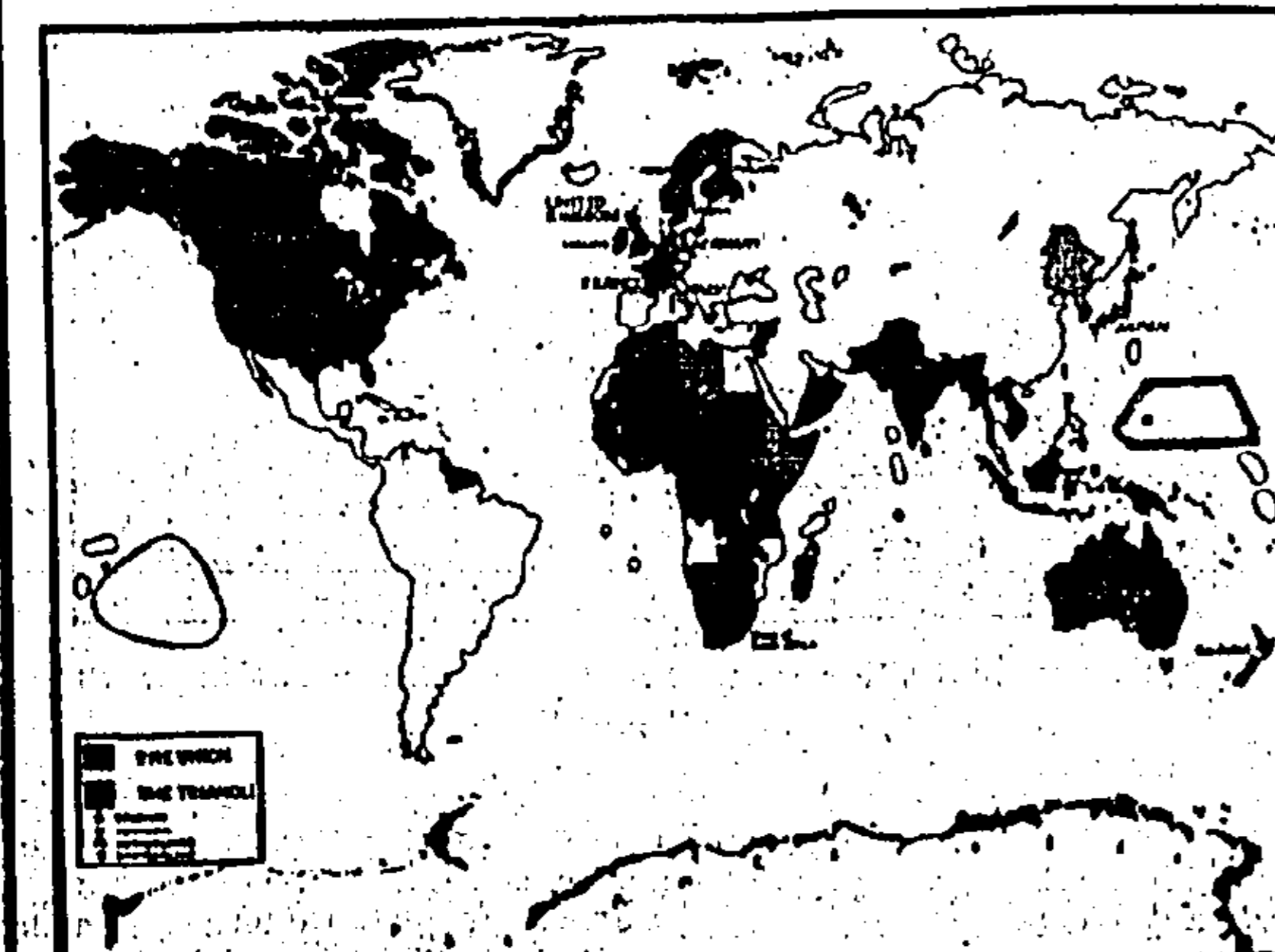
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By William Green

President of the American Federation of Labour, which has membership of over 4,000,000. Affiliated unions number 1,563.

condemns, without hesitation or reservation, the policies and practices of Nazi Germany, Soviet Russia and Fascist Italy. Our hope and prayer is that the forces of Totalitarianism may be crushed once and for all in this war.

We cannot contemplate even the possibility of free men submitting to dictatorship.

We in the United States know to-day that even our country is menaced. Therefore, our Government has launched the greatest national defence programme in the nation's history.

Britain "Listens In"

Among radio-speakers who talk in English at regular intervals from abroad the best-known to British listeners are Mr. Raymond Gram Swing, and a person known as Lord Haw Haw whose words are sent out from Hamburg and Bremen. Strange that men so diametrical-ly opposite as these two should be the favourites in Britain. But per-haps "favourite" as applied to the second of them is not the word. No one likes Lord Hawing. Britons do not little believe him, but they listen. Partly it is from

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tionist attitude, though it hopes that it may be favourable to the Allies within the limits it has set itself. He learnt to take an interest in the Presidential campaign, though to many Britons the details of the electoral procedure were baffling. And there are Britons who believe that news of week-to-week happenings in the United States is more welcome to them now than ever before because it brings before them the life of a civilized nation that is not, as they are, immersed in war and thoughts of war.

My Five Weeks In France

By RONALD WALKER

War Correspondent with the R.A.F. in France

It all happened in five astonishing weeks. They are weeks that seem like years.

Looking back there is but a muddle of impressions and memories all crowded one into the other. I have not yet been able to sort them out.

During those weeks I saw the rapid collapse of France. At the time I did not realise the true significance of the startling events which followed one on the other.

Germany invaded Holland on May 10. That evening I left London to hurry back to R.A.F. H.Q. by boat. Next morning we were greeted at Le Havre by the wailing sirens which were to become all too familiar. That evening I got back to the town in the Champagne country which was our headquarters.

Already the Germans had begun bombing our aerodromes. Two 1,000lb. bombs had missed the chateau which housed H.Q., but had upset the swarm of staff officers who flew the aeroplanes from office desks.

That is the beginning of the story. The first real shock came with the news that the Germans had broken through at Sedan.

In six days the people of the town who had watched the streams of refugees from Belgium and the frontier areas were packing and joining the procession.

I still marvel at the spirit of the French people who accepted the fate which war imposed. They fled from

the Racing Club in the Bois de Boulogne.

In the hot sun and among the lazy figures soaking it up, the war seemed very improbable. Two days later the people of Paris were stampeding out of the city as the Germans swept across the Seine.

I shall not forget those last hours in Paris, the courage of the people suddenly brought face to face with final disaster, the terrible scenes at the stations where thousands waited for hours and days for trains, the resignation of people who just set and waited for the end.

Before I managed to get a lift home in an R.A.F. machine from a port on the west coast of France our H.Q. had made three moves, dictated by the rapidly advancing German forces.

When we drove out of the Champagne town, it was shaking with the bursting of German bombs from machines which flew about almost unchallenged.

After that the Advanced Air Striking Force led a thoroughly gipsy life wandering across France.

During those weeks I was twice in Paris. It was Paris of the summer. The Champs Elysees was gay with the coloured awnings and umbrellas of the cafes. The capital carried on, even though the enemy was pounding at the defences away to the north-east.

One happening hit the people of Paris hard during those early days. I came out at nine o'clock one morning to learn of the capitulation of Leopold. Paris did not smile that day.

Only last Saturday week I was swimming in the lovely pool of

the Racing Club in the Bois de Boulogne.

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Also, I shall never forget those endless streams of refugees who poured out endlessly along all roads leading to the south. All towns in their path became babel and confusion. The din of that unending traffic still rings in my ears.

My last journey in France was made in a horse-box—the famous "Hommes 40 Chevaux 8" kind. There were nearly 300 of us, R.A.F. officers and men. We spent two days in that train to travel some 150 miles. We got to our destination tired and filthy on Saturday morning. Bacon and eggs in a Salvation Army hut cheered us up. Again we got into a refugee-filled town. I slept in a garage.

In the morning I got the unexpected chance of a seat in an aircraft. Flying over the English southern counties the previous five weeks seemed all the more incredible. All those journeys across

Our ISLAND'S SAFETY

By Brigadier-General C. F. ASPINALL-OGLANDER

MR. CHURCHILL warned us of the grave possibility that has now become a fact—the possibility that we might have to continue the war alone.

A glance at the map shows the difficulties France has had to endure in face of the success of Germany's hammer blows. The thrust to the Channel ports and the treachery of King Leopold robbed her of the help of the greater part of the British Expeditionary Force and two of her own armies. It gravely increased the length of the defensive front that she had to hold with her depleted resources and entirely destroyed the value of the Maginot Line.

The situation for this country is the gravest in our history, but in Mr. Churchill's brave words, "We shall yet weather the storm if we all do our duty."

But we must first defeat our two gravest enemies—our smug self-satisfaction and our habitual and all but unconquerable self-complacency.

Infinitely serious as the news of the surrender of the French Army is there will be one compensating advantage so far as the safety of this island is concerned.

So long as the French held out we in duty bound had to disseminate our strength by sending every man and weapon we could spare to that country and, with the Channel ports lost, the problem of transporting them assumed greater and more difficult proportions every day.

Relieved of that responsibility, we shall be able to concentrate our military and air force resources on defeating any attempts at invasion which are certain to be made in the almost immediate future.

It is no longer a question of protecting ourselves only against attack from the air and invasion by air-borne troops.

With the Germans in possession of the whole coast from Antwerp to the Atlantic, it can no longer be expected that our Navy will be able to guarantee protection from the arrival of sea borne troops. Fleets of fast motor-boats can be transported in hundreds by rail to the French Channel ports and they can complete the Channel crossing at lightning speed.

It is to the Air Force more than to the Navy that we must look for assistance to hinder and harass such motor fleets both on passage and at the moment of disembarkation; and there is also the growing need for a strong mobile force of land troops to be kept in readiness to proceed to any threatened point.

The L.D.V. will be of inestimable value in forwarding early information of enemy movements, but they are not yet sufficiently armed or trained to be of real fighting value.

FUNNY SIDE UP

By Abner Dean



"It's a recipe she coaxed out of the concessionaire at the ball park!"

that lovely French country turned into chaos by the spread of war were curiously remote.

The Heinkel which came over and bombarded when we were stopped

in the station at Tours did not seem so real. And it made me mad to think of the Germans stumbling about the Paris which I had left less than a week before.

FURTHER RAIDS ON GERMANY

Persistent Action By
The R.A.F.

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—An Air Ministry communiqué states that yesterday R.A.F. aircraft of the Bomber Command carried out daylight attacks on military objectives in Germany and on shipping off the German and Dutch coasts.

During these raids, the bombers were engaged by enemy fighters, two of which were shot down.

One of our bombers is missing. Oil refineries at Mülburg, near Hanover, and at Emmerich were attacked by bombers last night, while other aircraft bombed supply depots at Osnabrück, shipping in the Zuider Zee and enemy aerodromes in Holland and Germany.

Two of our aircraft were lost. Yesterday a Sunderland flying-boat of the Royal Australian Air Force three times repelled enemy air attacks on the convoy it was escorting. An aircraft of the Coastal Command engaged on reconnaissance over Norway has failed to return.

Set Clocks By Raids

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Reports from Berlin state that the British air-raids on western Germany are so regular that the Germans set their clocks by them.

At a quarter-to-five every night people know they have 15 minutes in which to clothe themselves before going down into the shelters. Many people have gone to Berlin for a rest.

Nazi Ban On Birthday Celebrations

Dutch Warned Of Dire
Consequences

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—According to Dutch authoritative quarters in London, Dr. Arthur Seyss-Inquart, the Reich Commissioner for the Netherlands, in a proclamation to-day, threatened severe penalties against any demonstration of loyalty to the House of Orange in view of the approaching royal birthdays.

Queen Wilhelmina will be 60 on August 31 and Princess Irene will celebrate her first birthday on Monday.

Punishment Premised

The proclamation states that all such demonstrations will be considered as directed against the occupying forces and will be punished accordingly.

Decorations of buildings, showing flags, wearing badges, flowers, ribbons and "festal" actions which tend to express loyalty to the House of Orange are forbidden.

Flower-sellers are warned that possession of orange-coloured flowers, marigolds, forget-me-nots and white carnations (Princess Bernhard's favourite flower and widely worn on his birthday on June 29) may be considered as provocative demonstrations against the new order and will be punished according to German criminal law.

STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—On the Stock Exchange to-day, although general trading was quiet there were some good spots, chief being oils which sharply strengthened following the United States restriction on exports of aviation spirit, which the market considered "bullish" for shares of oil companies operating within the British Empire.

Gilt-edged holdings were higher. Kaffirs were inclined to strengthen and industrials were irregular.

Wall Street was indecisive.

British Contraband Control Order

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Authoritative circles point out regarding the new Order in Council extending British Contraband Control that while the navicert system covers cargoes and ships, the new ship warrants apply to whole shipping lines and companies which agree always to utilise navicerts.

If they fail to do so no ship of the line in question will receive facilities for bunkering, dry-docking, repairing, insurance and other services.

Ambassadorial Changes

VICHY, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Important changes in France's diplomatic representation in Europe and overseas have been officially announced, according to the "Havre" news agency.

The appointment of M. Henri Huye, Mayor of Versailles, as Ambassador to Washington is confirmed, and the Ambassador at Ankara, M. Massigli, is placed on the unattached list. Changes are also made in Bucharest, Belgrade, Budapest, Montevideo and Stockholm.

81 HELD AT PANAMA

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1 (UP).—The War Department announces that 81 foreign agents have been detained at Panama.

Hitler's Lost Chance

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The "Cairo" newspaper, "Mohattam", discussing the causes of the delay in the date of the German offensive against Britain which was publicly announced for the 16th, then the 20th and then the 25th of July, states, "there is no doubt that every day that passes reduces the Fuehrer's chances of success, and increases England's. Hitler has definitely lost his chance of a lightning victory."

Nazis Feel The Strain

Devastating Effect
Of R.A.F. Raids

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—An American newspaper correspondent, who has been allowed to travel through parts of industrial Germany has just sent an account of his tour.

In one town near the edge of the Ruhr, he reports, people have spent every night for the past two weeks in their air raid shelters. They do not get to bed until 3 a.m.

In the Ruhr itself, factory chimneys are almost as thick as a forest. German officials claimed that no factories had been hit in the raids, but made no reply when asked how the R.A.F. could fail to make an occasional hit when the factories were so thickly clustered together.

German Confession

German official lists give the number of explosive and incendiary bombs dropped, the number of dead and wounded and the number of houses destroyed, but make no mention of factories.

In the German official circles, however, admit that an ammunition dump at Hamm was set on fire and that in another town at least 17 were killed, which figure they said was higher than some other cities.

In this connection it is interesting to note that General von Schroeder, the German air raids precaution chief, wrote in the "Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung" on July 17, in a two-column interview, he spoke of the terrible destructive power of the British bombs. "I myself have seen one splinter, the size of a fist, go through a heavy oak door and two walls of a safe," he was quoted as saying.

Such attacks as Germany had had, he admitted, were a heavy strain on the German masses.

OBITUARY

Admiral H. W. Parker
Dies, Aged 65

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The death is announced of Admiral Henry W. Parker, C.B., C.M.G., at the age of 65.

Admiral Parker entered H.M.S. Britannia in 1880, became Commander in 1908, Captain in 1914, Rear-Admiral in 1925, Vice-Admiral in 1929 and Admiral in 1933.

He commanded H.M.S. Benbow in the Battle of Jutland Bank, 1916, and was mentioned in despatches. He was director of the Operations Division of the Naval Staff, 1922-24. He commanded H.M.S. Repulse on its Empire Cruise in 1924.

He was Rear-Admiral Commanding 1st Cruiser Squadron, Mediterranean Fleet, from 1928 to 1930, and Admiral Commanding Reserves from 1931 to 1933. He was placed on the retired list in 1934.

BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE

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the story with "Japan States Plan for Far Eastern Domain."

Official quarters withhold comment. Unofficial and other political circles, however, expect that the statement will widen the already great rift in the outlook of the United States and Japan towards the Pacific.

Japan's Commitment

Japan is now regarded as having abandoned even nominal parliamentary system of government, and has moved closer to a totalitarian regime.

Secondly, Japan is regarded as having more than ever committed herself to her "Great East Asia" programme, which, it is thought, includes the South Seas.

Both developments are regarded as having taken Japan away from friendship with the Democracies and to have tightened her association with the Axis powers.

Whether relations between Japan and the United States worsen depends, it is thought, on the steps Japan takes to fulfil her programme.

U.S.S.R. DEFINES HER RELATIONS

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were governing these countries, increased their hostile activities against the Soviet and grossly violated the pact of mutual assistance.

Intolerable

It became absolutely impossible to tolerate any such state of affairs, especially in the conditions created by the present international situation. M. Molotov referred to the creation of pro-Soviet governments in Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia and said that the Dicts of these three countries, "elected by a universal, direct, equal and secret vote," had unanimously for the establishment of a Soviet regime and their incorporation into the Soviet.

The Supreme Soviet would examine the question of their inclusion into the Soviet as Soviet republics. Their incorporation, along with Bessarabia and Northern Bukovina meant that the population of the Soviet had increased by approximately 10,000,000.

French Rulers Criticised

Referring to the defeat of France, M. Molotov said clearly the cause of the Allies' preparedness, but "of considerable importance was also the fact that, unlike Germany, the leading circles in France treated too lightly the role and weight of the Soviet in European affairs."

Events of the past months had also clearly shown that "the ruling circles in France were not connected with the people, and far from relying on its support, they feared their people, which is deservedly famed as liberty-loving people with glorious revolutionary traditions."

France was now faced with a difficult task of healing the wounds of the war and following this, the task of regeneration which could not, however, be realised by the old methods.

Britain Bars The Way

In her war against the Allies, Germany had achieved great successes, but had not yet achieved her principal objective, namely, termination of the war on terms which she considers desirable.

Hitler on July 19 again appealed to England to come to terms with regard to peace, but the British Government rejected the proposal which it interpreted as a demand for England's capitulation and replied that it would continue the war until victory.

"This means that the Government of Great Britain does not wish to give up its colonies and declares that it is prepared to continue the war for world supremacy, despite the fact that after the defeat of France, and Italy's entry into the war on the side of Germany, this struggle involves considerably greater difficulties for Britain."

Anglo-Russian Relations

M. Molotov said that no essential changes had lately occurred in Anglo-Russian relations. "It should be admitted that after all the hostile acts committed by Britain against the Soviet, it is difficult to expect that Anglo-Russian relations would develop favourably."

"The appointment of Sir Stafford Cripps as Ambassador to the Soviet possibly does reflect a desire on the part of Britain to improve relations with the Soviet."

"It is probable that we are now on the eve of a new stage in the intensification of the war between Germany and Italy on one side and the United States, on the other. True to her policy of peace and neutrality, the Soviet is not participating in the war."

Russo-German Relations

Russo-German relations wholly remained as laid down in the Soviet-German Agreement. "This Agreement is strictly observed by our government and removed the possibility of friction in Soviet-German relations when Soviet measures were carried out along our western frontier and at the same time has assured Germany of a calm feeling of security in the east."

Developments in Europe, far from reducing the strength of the Soviet-German Non-Aggression Pact, on the contrary emphasised the importance of its existence and further development.

Referring to Foreign Press speculation on the possibility of disagreement between the Soviet and Germany, M. Molotov added: "These attempts have been exposed more than once by ourselves as well as by Germany and swept aside as worthless. We can only regret that the German press is so stupid."

With regard to the good-neighbourly and friendly relations established between the Soviet and Germany are not based on fortuitous considerations of a transient nature but on a fundamental state of the interests of both the Soviet and Germany.

An exchange of views with Italy had revealed that there was every possibility for our countries to ensure a mutual understanding in the sphere of foreign policy.

Russia And Italy

M. Molotov added that there was also every ground to expect an extension of Russo-Italian trade relations. He declared that the question of distribution of colonies was becoming more and more acute. "Imperialist appetites have been whetted not only in distant Japan but also in the United States, where there are quite a few covetous amateurs who are disseminating their imperialist plans under the banner of 'anxiety for the interest of the Western Hemisphere,'" said M. Molotov.

No essential change in Russo-Turkish relations had occurred. "It need only be said that the documents recently published in the German White Book have thrown a disagreeable light on certain aspects of the activity developed in Turkey."

With regard to Iran, there was no new important event to report.

Japan's Desire For Friendship

With regard to Japan, it may be

Exchange At A Glance

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T.T. Shanghai	37 1/2
T.T. Singapore	52 1/2
T.T. Japan	97
T.T. India	82 1/2
T.T. U.S.A.	45 1/2
T.T. Manila	42 1/2
T.T. Batavia	42 1/2
T.T. Bangkok	149 1/2
T.T. Saigon	108
T.T. France	Nom.
T.T. Switzerland	98 1/2
T.T. Australia	176 1/2
BUYING	
4 m/s L/C London	1/3 1/4
4 m/s D/P London	1/3 1/4
4 m/s L/C U.S.A.	24 1/2
4 m/s France	24 1/2
30 d/s India	84 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in London	402 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in N.Y.	3.68 1/2

Canada And The League

Ottawa, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Canadian Premier, Mr. W. L. Mackenzie King, told the House of Commons to-day that Canada "had not decided against discontinuing" membership of the League of Nations.

Mr. Mackenzie King was replying to a member who asked what the League had done for Canada.

said that recently our relations have tended towards normalisation to a certain extent. It can be recognised that there are certain general indications for a desire on the part of Japan to improve her relations with the Soviet.

M. Molotov said he was going to dwell upon Russo-American relations if only for the sole reason that there was nothing to be said in this matter. "The fact that the United States authorities are illegally withholding the gold recently bought by our State Bank from the banks of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia has provoked the most energetic protests on our part. We can only remind the United States Government as well as the British Government, which has adopted the same attitude, that they bear the responsibility for these illegal acts."

Friendship With China

With regard to Russian relations with the "great nation which is fighting for her existence, we have retained the friendly and good-neighbourly character arising from the Sino-Soviet Pact of non-aggression."

M. Molotov concluded by declaring that the Soviet must show to the world a new attitude towards the interior positions.

In order to secure new successes for the Soviet, they must always remember Stalin's declaration that they must keep their entire people in a state of mobilisation and ready to face the danger of military aggression so that no hazards and no manoeuvres of their exterior enemies could take them unawares.

"If we all remember this sacred duty, no event will take us by surprise and we shall achieve even more glorious successes for the Soviet."

Baltic Frontiers

M. Molotov, referring to the Baltic states, said that henceforth the frontiers of the Soviet would be transferred to the Baltic coast of primary importance to the Soviet.

As a result, they would have ice-free Baltic ports of which they had a great need.

Finland had accepted their proposals for demilitarisation of the Åland Islands and establishment of a Soviet Consulate. Further favourable development of Soviet-Finnish relations depended principally upon Finland.

If certain elements of the Finnish Government circles did not cease their repressive anti-social actions which were opposed to the consolidation of good-neighbourly relations with the Soviet, Russo-Finnish relations might suffer accordingly.

Relations With Scandinavia

Soviet relations with Norway and Sweden could not depend on the situation which has been created. Nothing definite could be said with regard to Norway at the moment in view of her particular situation.

With regard to Sweden it was a particularly important fact that their two countries were interested in the development of economic and commercial relations.

With regard to the Balkans, the fact of the establishment of Russo-Yugoslav diplomatic relations must be particularly emphasised. Russo-Bulgarian relations might be considered normal.

Relations With Japan

After referring to indications of Japanese desire to improve Russo-Japanese relations, M. Molotov said that there was reciprocal recognition of the interests of both parties, such amelioration of Russo-Japanese relations might be achieved.

He added that it must be admitted that in the programme of the new Japanese Government with regard to the establishment of a "new political structure," there was still much vagueness.

"It is obvious that the expansion to the south, about which much newspapers are making so much noise, is attracting increasing attention in leading Japanese circles, particularly since the changes in Europe cannot remain without repercussion in regions of interest to these Japanese circles, but the tentative political application of these circles to Russo-Japanese relations still remains obscure on many points."

BAHAMAS GOVERNOR

Duke Of Windsor En
Route To America

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor boarded the American steamer Excalibur early on Wednesday.

The main cabins for the Duke's entourage are surrounded by a veranda, enabling maximum privacy during the voyage.

The Duke and Duchess of Windsor are silent regarding their schedule after arrival in New York and there is no information available locally regarding the possibility of the British Navy keeping watch over the Excalibur while enroute.

The Duke is subject to seizure by Germany or Italy as a war prisoner and suggestions have been made that the British fleet made the American prohibition of convoys for American vessels—might keep watch from a distance. The date of the Duke's arrival at Nassau is not known.

Bahamas Prepare

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

NASSAU, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Bahamas are making elaborate preparations to instal the Duke of Windsor as Governor when he arrives in the middle of this month.

The Duke's title will be "Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony."

The social and official title of the American born Duchess, who has never been granted Royal distinction, will be defined by the Colonial Secretary in London.

Linor Sails

NEW YORK, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The American Export Line has announced that the Duke and Duchess of Windsor have sailed from Lisbon in the liner Excalibur.

They are due at New York on August 9.

Duke's Entourage

LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—It is understood that the Duke of Windsor's entourage includes Major Gray Phillips, the Duke's personal Secretary; Captain George Jervis Wood, Aide de Camp; Mr. Vyvian Drury, Equerry, and Miss Pryth, the Duchess' maid.

LETTERS

Free Cables

To the Editor,

The "Hongkong Telegraph."

Sir,—With reference to the article "Free Cables for Evacuees," which appeared in your paper yesterday that free transmission will be given to the Cable Wireless Ltd. I am wondering if the same privilege would be granted in future to the Hongkong Government. Evacuees, who are now on their way to Australia.

INTERESTED.

Sir,—Would it be possible for Messrs. Cable and Wireless to extend the same privilege to Hongkong men whose families are being evacuated to Australia as they are extending to families at Home whose children are being evacuated to the Dominions?

GRASS-WIDOWER.

Sir,—The privilege granted by Cable Wireless, Ltd., to evacuees from England to the Dominions to exchange cables free of charge, is a splendid gesture.

One wonders it is possible for this Company to extend similar opportunities to Hongkong's evacuees who have gone to Australia. It would be very highly appreciated by them all.

G.S.

BIG QUAKE RECORDED

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

PAZENDA, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Italian Seismologist, Raffaele Bonadonna, announces that his seismograph registered the most violent earthquake in many years at 3.20 p.m., G.M.T.

He estimates the epicentre to be in eastern Asia somewhere north of Japan.

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FORGOTTEN MEN OF THE RING

Sparring Partners Who Have Aided Champions To The Top

COLUMNS HAVE BEEN WRITTEN in glowing phrases of the brilliant deeds of the various boxing champions. Headlines have told of Dempsey's terrific hitting power, of Loughran's superlative skill, of Tunney's ring craftsmanship, of Firpo's tigerish ferocity and of Louis's invincibility, but seldom is a thought given to the forgotten men of the ring who helped those men to the top—the sparring partners.

Who they were or where they came from was of little concern, and whence they went was less. But though the sparring partner occupies no niche in boxing's Hall of Fame, they are indispensable units of pugilism.

The arrival of a bunch of sparring partners in a training camp is the signal that serious work is about to begin. The pay isn't bad, as wages go, but the job might last from one day to six weeks.

Dempsey and Tunney were miles apart in the use of training-camp fodder. Tunney seldom employed more than five, and often as few as three sparring mates in preparing for a battle. Dempsey, on the other hand, had little mercy on his hired hands. Even with the 16oz. glove Jack exacted a terrific toll. Though it took an exceptionally durable fellow to hold a job at Dempsey's camp, he paid them well.

DEMPSEY'S PARTNERS

ONE of Jack's favourite sparring partners was Martin Burke, the New Orleans Irishman, who could toss a punch in his own right. Martin drew top wages for his labour, but he was a first-class workman.

Another of Jack's favourite hired hands was big Bill Tate. Tate was a gigantic specimen of manhood whose ability to sop up punishment was little short of miraculous. Bill had the misfortune to be born a negro, otherwise he might have landed considerable pugilistic honours. Not many of the white boys cared to spend an evening in physical combat with the big negro; but he suited Dempsey exactly as a sparring partner.

GODFREY'S FALL

WHEN Dempsey was preparing for the Gibbons fight he imported another gigantic negro to assist Burke and Tate. The lad in question was George Godfrey, a coloured boy who later became a menace in fight circles. In the course of the training stage, Godfrey happened to rap Jack one afternoon with a punch that bounced the champion off the canvas. Jack Kearns, hastily rang the bell and Jack called off boxing for the afternoon.

Though the knockdown was not serious and might happen to any champion, the word spread like

wildfire that Godfrey had knocked the champion stiff.

CONFESSION

George immediately became quite a personage. At first, Godfrey insisted that Jack simply had run into one, but later, under the warming influence of repeated hospitality, he broke down and confessed that he could knock out Dempsey any day. Naturally, Godfrey's words reached Dempsey's ears, so next afternoon Jack stepped to Godfrey's corner as the gloves were being tied on, and said in a voice that boded no good for Mr. Godfrey: "I hear that you've been saying that you could knock me out any time you wanted to. Now is the time if you ever expect to, because I'm going to give you the works."

Less than a minute later, camp attendants were struggling to lift Mr. Godfrey's limp form out of the ring, and down to the dressing room, where the doctor was busy rigging up braces, splints of whatever they use to fix up broken ribs. Dempsey had landed one left to George's ribs.

JEFFRIES THE EXCEPTION

THERE is an old saying, "Often a sparring partner, but never a champion," and in most instances it holds water, one notable exception being Jim Jeffries. The big Californian got his first taste of leather while helping Corbett prepare for his battle with Fitzsimmons. After that Jim forced ahead under his own steam; but his case is an unusual one.

Usually these luxury lads are so accustomed to absorbing punches that they are unable to dole them out.

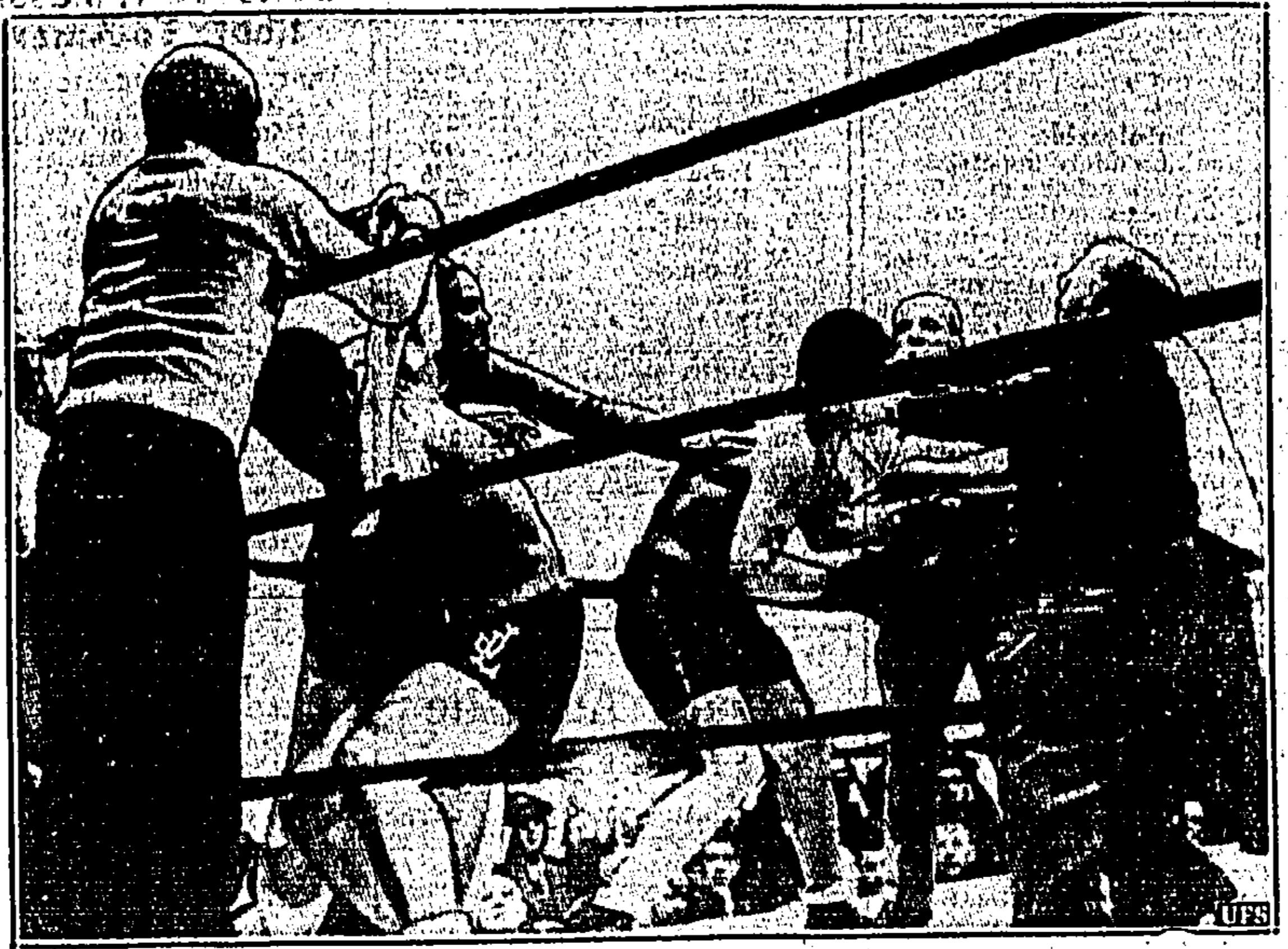
CHAMPIONS IN APPEARANCE

TWO notable cases of this kind were Al Reich and Jack McAuliffe II. They were two men who gave the appearance of becoming champions.

McAuliffe was matched in the semi-final against Louis Firpo. Experts were agreed that McAuliffe would cut and slash Firpo to ribbons. When the fight started he was completely at sea. Firpo bounced him off the board a few times and had an easy evening scoring a K.O. Put the pair in gymnasium, and Firpo couldn't have touched him.

Reich's case a few years before was almost identically the same—a champion in the gym, but a third-rater in the ring.

There is no doubt that these hu-



Louis-Baer Bout Abandoned

NEW YORK, July 27 (UP).—Mike Jacobs, leading promoter, announced today that he had abandoned plans for a world heavyweight championship clash in September between Joe Louis, title-holder, and Max Baer, former champion. He announced that Louis instead will fight the winner of the bout between Billy Conn, world light-heavyweight champion, and Bob Pastor, New York heavyweight title-holder.

The bout between Conn and Pastor, who was twice beaten by Louis, will be held next month.

Major Baseball Dodgers Begin To Climb Again

NEW YORK, Aug. 1 (UP).—Brooklyn Dodgers have begun to climb again, and gained appreciably on the Cincinnati Reds in the National League with a double victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates today.

In the American League, the Cleveland Indians have lost first place to the Detroit Tigers, the Indians being beaten by the Boston Red Sox, while the Tigers trounced the New York Yankees 11-2.

Scores were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	R	H	E
Pittsburgh	1	10	0
Batteries: Heinemann, Buehler, Lopez.			
Brooklyn	8	12	2
Batteries: Wyatt, Mancuso.			
Pittsburgh	7	6	2
Batteries: Butecher, Brown, Lannan, V.			
Brooklyn	8	12	4
Batteries: Grissom, Hamlin, Casey, Phelps, Mancuso.			
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
New York	2	7	1
Batteries: Dreuer, Donald, Dickey.			
Detroit	8	10	1
Batteries: Rowe, Tobbetta.			
Boston	5	10	0
Batteries: Ostermiller, Foxe.			
Cleveland	2	7	0
Batteries: Harder, Allen, Hemslay, Pytk.			
Philadelphia	9	9	0
Batteries: Potter, Hayes.			
Chicago	5	10	1
Batteries: Smith, Appleton, Tresh.			

man shock-absorbers were, and still are, a great body of men.

LOUIS—MANHANDLER

JOE Louis, the "Brown Bomber," from Detroit, is about as hard on his sparring partners as was Dempsey. In fact, no fighter in recent years pummeled and man-handled his training camp aides as did Louis for the Carnera fight.

Perhaps it was part of the publicity, but the fact remains that almost all of Joe's sparring partners were so roughed that Lou Bux, thought a tornado had hit him. He came back for a second round but Louis floored him twice more.

Larry Johnson, not so long ago one of the most promising prospects in American boxing, was determined to have no such nonsense, but Louis sent him through the ropes with a right to the jaw in the second.

Bobby Dean, the last victim, was lifted completely off his feet and driven so fast through the air that his great body actually bounced when it hit the canvas.

It took twenty minutes to bring him back to life.

All these sparring partners resigned their jobs when they regained consciousness.

Of course, that kind of man-handling is repulsive to most fighters, especially if they have any standing in the flat community, but in the case of Dempsey, Louis and others whose punching powers must be advertised for drawing a big "gate," there is probably some excuse.

GODOY — BEATEN BUT UNBOWED

His face battered and bloody, Arturo Godoy, the Chilean heavyweight, is restrained as he wants to continue fighting Joe Louis, at the New York bout, after the referee, Cavanagh had stopped the fight in the 8th round. Louis, at left, is shielded by his trainer, Blackburn.

West Conference Athletes Foremost In America

CHICAGO, Ill.—The Western Conference Track and Field Championships have produced no less than 11 Olympic champions who, among them, have won a total of 22 world's titles.

Jesse Owens, the Ohio State ace, accounted for three victories in the 1936 games at Berlin, but his record is surpassed by Archie Hahn of Michigan, who won the 100-metres title in 1904 and 1906 and the 60 metres and 200 metres in 1904.

J. D. Lightbody of Chicago was a three-time winner, at 800 metres and 1,500 metres in 1908 and at the metric mile in 1904. Ralph Rose of Michigan was a shutout winner in 1904, 1908, and 1912.

A double winner was Eddie Tolan of Michigan, who won the two sprint events at the 1932 games in Los Angeles.

OTHER WINNERS

OTHER winners who had first earned reputations as Conference champions were Jackson Scholz of Missouri, the 1924 200-metre champion; Dan Kinsey of Illinois, 1924 high hurdles champion; George Saling of Iowa, 1932 high hurdles champion; C. E. Dvorak of Michigan, 1904 winner in the pole vault; Harold Osborne of Illinois, 1924 high jump champion; Delfort Hubbard, Michigan's 1924 broad jump champion, and Eddie Gordon, broad jump winner in 1932.

Only in 1920 and 1928 have Conference representatives failed to win an Olympic event. With the 1940 Olympic Games cancelled, speculation centres on those of the current crop who might be of Olympic championship calibre. Outstanding are Roy Cochran of Indiana, international 400-metre hurdles champion; Campbell Kane, one of the most promising middle-

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- 3rd team v. Craigenower.—J. W. Harrop, J. Willerton, A. Soutar and J. S. Macdonald.
- 4th team v. Craigenower.—W. S. Clarke, W. E. Hollands, J. R. McWalter and W. McLeod.

Pilot Officer Brian Henry Black, former rugby international and one of the most versatile athletes of his generation, is reported in the latest R.A.F. casualty list as having died on active service.—Reuter.

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"REUTERS" GIVE LIE DIRECT TO GOEBBELS

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—For a long time past, German and Italian wireless services have repeatedly made attacks upon "Reuters" and "Reuters" silence might possibly be misunderstood.

"Reuters" desire to give a flat denial to the following specific statement broadcast from Germany in connection with the tragic death of "Reuters" correspondent in Tokyo that "the connection between the British Intelligence Service and 'Reuters' has become very close not only in Japan but in other countries."

"Reuters" also flatly deny a further statement that "agents of the British Secret Service to-day hold important positions in practically every Reuters office."

These categorical assertions are a complete lie from beginning to end and are obviously made in order to mislead or impress those people abroad who have no means of testing their veracity.

German Report Of Suicides

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Reports from Berlin state that there has been a large number of suicides among Government officials, Police officials and other officers in the Baltic countries.

Alcantara In Port

RIO DE JANEIRO, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The British merchant cruiser, Alcantara, which had an engagement with a German raider in South Atlantic two days ago, had a slight list to port when she crossed the bay on her way to dry-dock.

Despite allegations of the Neutrality Act which prohibits warships of belligerent countries from remaining more than 24 hours in Brazilian ports, it is expected that the British Embassy will obtain permission for the Alcantara to stay for some days in order to carry out the necessary repairs.

German Claim

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The German official news agency states that the auxiliary cruiser which encountered the Alcantara has resumed activities against merchant shipping.

Govt. Concession

RIO DE JANEIRO, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—It is authoritatively learned that the Government is allowing the Alcantara to remain until repairs are completed as the engine room is damaged and the ship cannot proceed unless it is repaired.

A COSTLY CONFLICT

Nasty Realisation For Dictators

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The "New York Times" states that the tendency to prepare the German and Italian people for checks and delay confirms other indications that the Axis partners no longer hope to avoid the costly conflict with Britain.

It is significant, at any rate, that the British are moving swiftly while Hitler waits. With a boldness born of desperation or supreme confidence they have clamped down a blockade and aim at controlling the traffic in and out of every port in Europe.

Whether this assertion of Britannia's single-handed power to rule the seas is the cause or effect of the German hesitation, it proclaims that the British are only beginning to fight. It looks as if on the eve of invasion they have beaten the Germans to the offensive.

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1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 Albert Sandler and His Orchestra and Charles Kullman (Tenor).

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Selections from Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado."

2.15 Close Down.

6.00 Latest Dance Music.

7.02 Closing Local Quotations.

7.04 A Programme of Welsh Songs by Mable Parry (Soprano) in Welsh, Ben Morgan (Tenor) with Piano, in Welsh, William Edwards (Tenor) with Harp accompaniment, and the Rhonda Welsh Glee Singers with Piano, in Welsh.

7.30 London Relay.—The News.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 A Variety Programme.

9.00 London Relay.—The News.

9.30 London Relay—"World Affairs" by Wickham Steed.

9.45 A Request Classical Programme.—Overture "William Tell" (Rossini), Boston Promenade Orchestra cond. by Arthur Fiedler; Prologue "Pagliacci" — Leoncavallo; Song of the Volga Boatmen (Koenigsmann), Theodore Chailapine (Bass) with Orchestra; Tone-Poem "Enslaved" (Sibelius), Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra; See here, thy floweret ("Carmen"—Bizet), Beniamino Gigli (Tenor) with Orchestra; Nocturne in G Minor, Op. 15, No. 3 (Chopin), Nocturne in F Sharp Major, Op. 15, No. 2 (Chopin), Arthur Rubinstein (Piano); Liebes Dream ("Marta"—Fialow, Fusi Bjorling (Tenor) with Orchestra; Concerto in E Minor, Op. 64 (Mendelssohn), 2nd and 3rd Movements only, Fritz Kreisler (Violin) and The State Opera Orchestra; Concerto for Trumpet and Orchestra (Haydn), George Eskdale (Trumpet) and Symphony Orchestra.

11.00 Close Down.

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Stockholm paper "Svensk Dag" reports from London state that British industrial production is exceeding all expectations.

LONE NAZI RAIDER THROUGH

Norwich Bombed: Civilians Killed

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Home Security issued the following communique to-day:

"A single enemy aircraft, flying at a great height, crossed the east coast this afternoon. It later dropped bombs at Norwich causing some damage to industrial premises and a number of civilian casualties, several of which were fatal.

"Elsewhere enemy activity has been confined to occasional flights over the English Channel, where two enemy aircraft were shot down by our fighters this evening.

"One of our fighters failed to return from patrol."

Bombs Start Fires

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—A German plane dropped bombs and strafed a south-eastern town this afternoon. Windows in stores and houses were shattered by bullets.

The bombs started fires and caused some casualties. British planes chased them.

German Report

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BERLIN, Aug. 1 (UP).—To-day's High Command communique says: "Night raids were carried out with weak forces against shipping in the harbours of south England as well as the enemy's searchlight batteries. Explosions and fires were observed.

"During the air battles off Dover last evening between Spitfires and Messerschmitts, five British planes and two barrage balloons were shot down without any German losses.

Three other British planes were brought down during raids over Germany, Denmark and the Netherlands. The enemy's total losses were eight planes. Two German planes are missing.

Five People Killed

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Appearing suddenly out of the cloud, a German plane dived to about 400 feet over the centre of Norwich and dropped bombs which killed five people and injured several others.

One bomb demolished part of a warehouse and a second struck another building.

Another bomb wrecked a restaurant, the explosion lifting off the roof.

Southeast Town Raided

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The windows of shops and houses were shattered by bullets when a German plane machine-gunned and bombed a south-eastern town this afternoon. Bombs started a fire and caused some casualties.

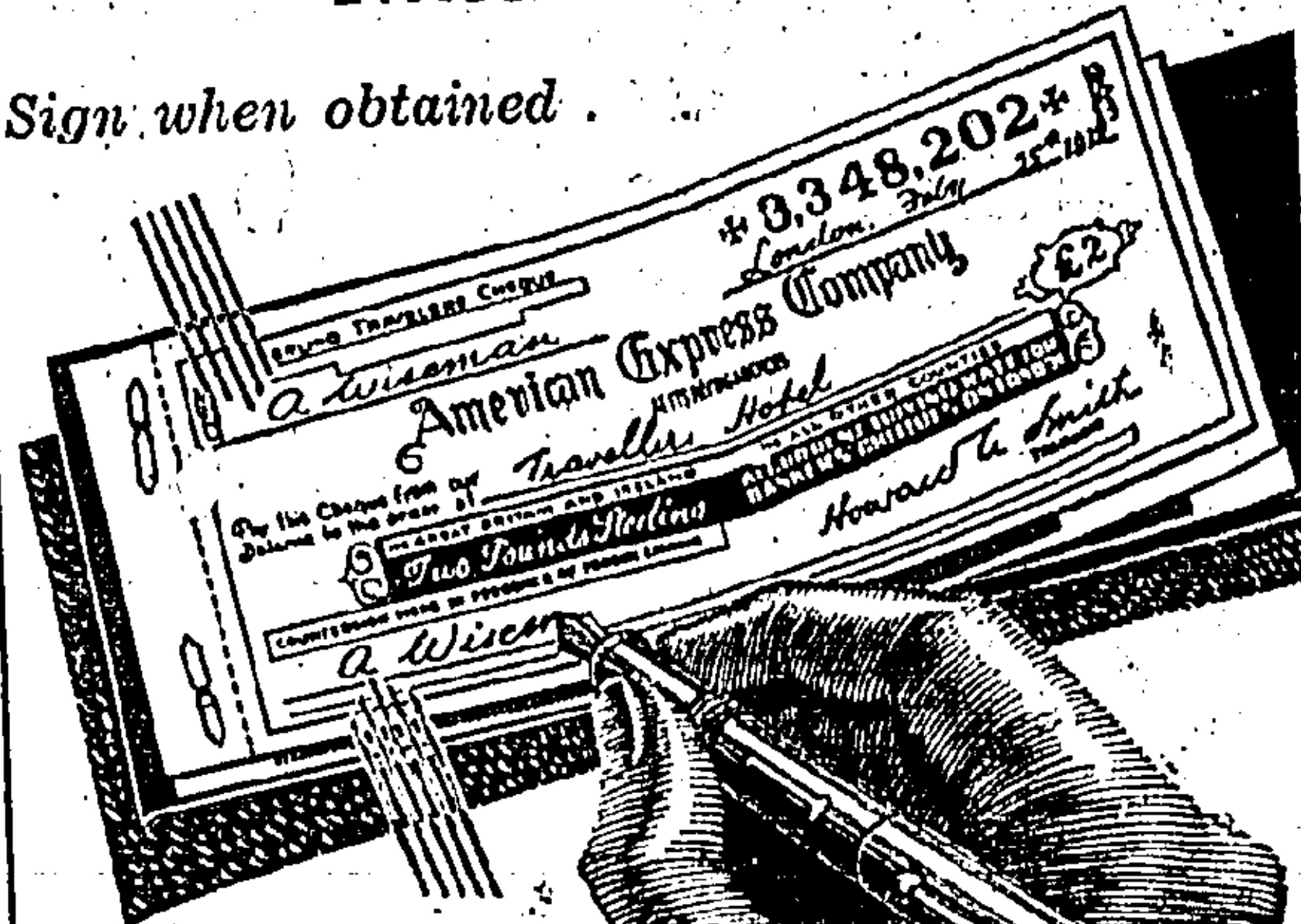
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LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Government's new plan for the fullest employment of the industrial capacity on war requirements was explained to-day by Mr. Harold Macmillan, the Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Supply.

Mr. Macmillan declared that Mr. Herbert Morrison, the Minister of Supply, had requested the Production Council resolutely to tackle the whole problem of "marrying the industrial capacity and war requirements."

New Area Boards

Now Area Boards have been set up and any individual industrialist who felt that his unused capacity could be employed on war work could address himself to the Area Board, which should be able to secure for any works capable of executing this either contracts or sub-contracts.

One of the Board's duties would be to carry out a complete inspection of machine tools. It would also be the function of the Boards to act as controllers of war production in their areas in the event of a breakdown of communications and for rebuilding factories in the event of destruction by bombing.

CARDINAL'S WARNING

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Cardinal Hinsley, speaking at the inaugural meeting of the movement "Sword of the Spirit"—designed to develop Catholic spiritual activities in "this fight for truth, freedom and justice," uttered a warning that the country was in peril from the writer of those whose undeclared purpose was to de-Christianise the whole of Europe and establish a pagan system of religion.

Cardinal Hinsley added: "we Catholics in this country will combat their doctrine to the death, and fight against their violent designs."

WAR IN AFRICA

ENEMY 'DROME RAIDED

NAIROBI, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Today's communiqué states: "Quiet day. Our bombers carried out a raid on the enemy aerodrome of Yavello. The results are awaited."

CAIRO, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—A communiqué issued to-day states: "A reconnaissance party pushing towards Dohel (Kenya) on July 30 withdrew after meeting strong opposition. On other fronts there is nothing to report."

MAORIS ENLIST

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The New Zealand Minister of Defence announces that 43 per cent. of the Maoris eligible for enlistment have already volunteered for service with the Maori battalion, whose total strength is 4,103.

THE WAR FUND

A total of \$1,300,568.97 was reached yesterday by the War Fund inaugurated by the S. C. M. Post, Ltd. Latest subscriptions:

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LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—A message from Madras states that £7,500 has been cabled from the Governor's War Fund to the British Air Ministry towards the cost of the Madras Squadron of the R.A.F. The total amount sent so far is £33,750.

OTTAWA, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Mr. C. D. Howe, the Minister of Munitions, announced to-day that the output of Bren guns during July was "virtually doubled."

OTTAWA, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Since the evacuation of British children to Canada began, 227 have been admitted to Canada for the duration of the war, it was stated in the House of Commons to-day.

LOSS OF ESTATES

French List Includes
Two Bankers

Vichy, Aug. 1. The first unofficial list available of Frenchmen in financial, journalistic, and commercial occupations whose fortunes and private estates are to be confiscated under a new decree due to their flight abroad between May 20 and June 20 includes two who are among the nation's biggest bankers, M. Eduard de Rothschild, head of the French branch of the great international banking house of Rothschild, and M. Louis Lods-Dreyfus, former Deputy and a great importer of South American wheat.

The fortunes of these two are among the five great fortunes of France. The list also includes seven newspaper writers, editorial writers, Madame Genevieve Tabouas and M. Andre Gerard (writing under the signature "Perinax") and M. Lazaroff, of the Paris Soirs, M. Emile Bure, editor of L'Ordre, M. Kerillis, editor of Epique, and M. Joseph Kessel and Elie Joseph Bois, of Le Petit Parisien.

Among the industrialists named are car manufacturer M. Louis Rosengart, maker of the Frances Vaby bathub-seized cars, M. Litvin, France's biggest hat maker, M. Slesnicki, whose trade name is "Scolis" and who is also one of the chief automobile dealers, and Deputy M. Edmond Jonas.

They will lose all their property and their French nationality unless they prove that they had good reason for their flight.—United Press.

Red Cross Leader Hurt

Vichy, Aug. 1. The former Ambassador in Rome, Count Charles de Chambrun, who recently accepted the Presidency of the French Red Cross, which is engaged in the relief of French prisoners of war and homeless refugees, was seriously injured in an accident at Vichy to-day while en route to Vichy from Paris to assume his new post. His right arm and shoulder were broken.

Countess de Chambrun, nee Princess Murat, was also injured, suffering a broken nose. Both were taken to the Versailles Hospital.—United Press.

Guns Reduce Cement

Explanation Of Collapse
Of Maginot Line

Strasbourg, Aug. 1. How the Maginot Line collapsed in a few weeks is one of the stories remaining to be told about this war. Four newsmen from Berlin are the first civilians who have visited it since the French armistice to-day.

These four included a United Press correspondent, who says that the concrete on which the bunkers were constructed was excellent for side-walks, but not for resisting a blitzkrieg. Some of these French bunkers had been reduced to heaps of gravel by the enemy artillery, while on the other side of the Rhine, the German forts showed only blotches on the surfaces.

A German engineer told the correspondent that the French concrete, made of coarse gravel and thin cement, was adequate only for non-military purposes and was reinforced with only half-inch steel rods. The German forts were reinforced with railway rails, fine gravel, and a secret cement formula.

The Germans maintained a mild fire along the entire line until they learned where the weakest French response was—north of Breiden village. They moved up their guns and began blasting at 10 a.m. on June 5. Twenty minutes later the first line of French bunkers consisted of silent heaps of gray gravel, their guns destroyed.—United Press.

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Rome-Radio states that a German plane has arrived at Brussels from Lisbon with the children, of King Leopold aboard.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Mr. Henry L. Stimson, Secretary for War, announced that 81 foreign agents were detained in the Panama Canal Zone for deportation.

Labour Volunteers

Ministry Forms Branch
To Organise Foreigners

LONDON, Aug. 1. The Minister for Labour and National Service, Mr. Ernest Bevin, in the House of Commons to-day announced the formation of an international Labour Branch as part of the Employment Department of the Ministry of Labour with a view to organising the manpower of Allied nations and other well-disposed persons of foreign nationality in the United Kingdom.

Mr. Bevin added that he hoped to have the advice and assistance of an advisory committee including trade union representatives from foreign countries. He hoped thereby to get valuable assistance in establishing the bona fides of well-disposed foreigners and in bringing sympathetic consideration to bear on individual cases.

Asked to see that Englishmen had preference, Mr. Bevin replied that it was the policy of his Department to see that British people had preference, but at present he was extremely short of skilled men and in utilising the skill and ability of a number of foreigners he would actually be putting British people to work.

Mr. Bevin declared that his Department had nothing to do with people who were interned, the question of whose release was a matter for the Home Secretary. His committee would work through the Trade Union Congress with the assistance of the Employers' Organisation.

Concluding, Mr. Bevin said: "I do not propose to use the term aliens or refugees. It is my intention once foreigners have been passed on to me by the Security Department and when security is not in danger to call them an international labour force."—Reuter.

CANTON DISPUTE

British River-boat Held
During Negotiations

Following a dispute, the China Navigation Company's Fastan, on the Hongkong-Canton service, has been delayed. The steamer left Hongkong for Canton on Tuesday and was to have returned last night. Her departure yesterday morning was delayed pending solution of a certain question that has arisen regarding the terms of operation on the Canton River. No details of the question have been revealed.

It is expected that the matter will be settled shortly, and the steamer is expected to leave for Hongkong to-day.

The Japanese Consul-General at Hongkong, Mr. Okazaki, said yesterday that he did not know how the dispute had arisen.

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LETTERS

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To the Editor, "The Hongkong Telegraph". Sir,—With reference to the article "Free Cables for Evacuees", which appeared in your paper yesterday that free transmission will be given by the Cable & Wireless Ltd., I am wondering if the same privilege would be granted in future to the Hongkong Government Evacuees, who are now on their way to Australia.

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Sir,—The privilege granted by Cable Wireless, Ltd., to evacuees from England to the Dominions to exchange cables free of charge, is a splendid gesture.

One wonders if it is possible for this Company to extend similar opportunities to Hongkong's evacuees who have gone to Australia. It would be very highly appreciated by them all.

G.S.

British Contraband Control Order

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Authoritative circles point out regarding the new Order in Council extending British Contraband Control that while the navicert system covers cargoes and ships, the new ships' warrants apply to whole shipping lines and companies which agree always to utilise navicerts.

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Hongkong, 31st July, 1940.

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Tenders are invited for the supply of the undermentioned articles for H.M. Naval Service:—
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NOTICE

Notice is given that from the 1st of August, 1940, Mr. W. Vosmeer has been appointed Manager of our Hongkong Branch office.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE is hereby given that an Interim Dividend of \$2.00 per Share has been declared, for the half year ended 30th June, 1940, payable on FRIDAY, 16th AUGUST, 1940, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Office of the Company, Kowloon.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from WEDNESDAY, 7th AUGUST to FRIDAY, 16th AUGUST, 1940, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

C. M. MANNERS,
Secretary and Manager.
Hongkong, 29th July, 1940.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Interim Dividend of \$1 per share has been declared in respect of the half year ended 30th June, 1940 on 600,000 OLD SHARES and will be payable on and after Wednesday, 11th September, 1940. Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Registered Office, P. & O. Building.

THE REGISTER OF MEMBERS of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 2ND SEPTEMBER, to SATURDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1940, (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.
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Monday, 5th August, 1940.

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Groceries and Provisions, Bread and Cakes East Lane Annex, Exchange Building, 7.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.
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G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of August, 1940, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Repulse Bay, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in N. S. E. W.	Contents in feet feet feet feet	As per sale plan.	Amount in \$	Upset Price
1	Rural Building Lot No. 423	South Bay Road, Repulse Bay, adjoining Garden Road, Rural Building Lot No. 277					\$1,062	\$1,062

G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of August, 1940, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Mong Kok, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in N. S. E. W.	Contents in feet feet feet feet	As per sale plan.	Amount in \$	Upset Price
2	Industrial Plot No. 423	Junction of Tong Mui Road and Mong Kok Road, Mong Kok.					\$1,330	\$1,330

Ambassadorial Changes

VICHY, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Important changes in France's diplomatic representation in Europe and overseas have been officially announced, according to the "Havas" news agency.

The appointment of M. Henri Huys, Mayor of Versailles, as Ambassador to Washington is confirmed, and the Ambassador at Ankara, M. Messigli, is placed on the unattached list. Changes are also made to Bucharest, Belgrade, Budapest, Montevideo and Stockholm.

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On Monday, the 5th August, the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office will be open from 9 a.m. to noon. Shengwan Branch Post Office will be open from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. and the other Branch Post Offices will be entirely closed.

There will be one collection from the pillar boxes as on Sundays, one delivery of ordinary correspondence at 11.30 a.m. and one delivery of registered correspondence at 11 a.m. There will also be one delivery of ordinary correspondence at 11 a.m. from the Branch Post Offices at Stanley, Taiipo and Un Long. The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

OUTWARD MAIL TIMES

Registered and Parcel Mail are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day. When mails are advertised to close after 5 p.m., Registered and Parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m.

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Shanghai Aug. 6.
Java and Manila Aug. 6.
Manila Aug. 6.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco date, 24th June) Aug. 7.

OUTWARD MAILS

Friday, August 2

Singapore and Bangkok 7 p.m.

Saturday, August 3

Amoy 8.30 a.m.

Shanghai and Parcel only for Tientsin 9 a.m.

Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane 9 a.m.

G.P.O. and K.P.O.

Parcel Aug. 2, 5 p.m.

Reg. Aug. 3, 8.45 a.m.

Ord. Aug. 3, 9.30 a.m.

Japan 9.30 a.m.

Fort Bayard 10.30 a.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India East and South Africa 11 a.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada, and "United Kingdom via San Francisco (No Parcel for Canada)." 11 a.m.

G.P.O. and K.P.O.

Parcel Aug. 3, 4 p.m.

Reg. Aug. 3, 5 p.m.

Ord. Aug. 3, 5.30 p.m.

Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Service" to Indo-China, Durban and thence by Sea Service to United Kingdom. 5.30 p.m.

G. P. O. and K. P. O.

Reg. Aug. 3, 5.40 p.m.

Ord. Aug. 3, 5.50 p.m.

Shanghai 8.30 a.m.

Manila 9 a.m.

Monday, August 5

Canton 10.30 a.m.

Bangkok Noon.

Hainan Noon.

Singapore Noon.

Canton 5.00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 6

Fort Bayard and Hainan 10 a.m.

Hainan Noon.

Air Mail for Indo-China, Malaysia, Java and Australia by the "Imperial Airways Service" Noon.

G.P.O. and K.P.O.

Reg. Aug. 6, 5 p.m.

Ord. Aug. 6, 5.30 p.m.

Thursday, August 8

Straits and Calcutta 8 a.m.

Letters 9 a.m.

Shanghai (Parcel only) 12.30 p.m.

Swatow 1 p.m.

Canton 7 p.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and United Kingdom via Vancouver B.C. (Parcel for Canada only) 7 p.m.

Note:—All Mail for United Kingdom will be forwarded with or without superscription.

G.P.O. and K.P.O.

Parcel Aug. 8, 5 p.m.

Reg. Aug. 8, 9.45 a.m.

Ord. Aug. 8, 9.50 a.m.

*Superscribed Correspondence Only.

Bandmaster Jordan of "G" Block, Kennedy Road, reports to the Police the theft from his home of clothing valued at \$9.30.

Exchange At A Glance

SELLING

T.T. London	1/23 1/2
Demand London	1/23 1/2
T.T. Shanghai	375
T.T. Singapore	52 3/4
T.T. Japan	37 1/2
T.T. India	82 1/2
T.T. U.S.A.	22 1/2
T.T. Manila	45 3/4
T.T. Batavia	42 1/2
T.T. Bangkok	140 1/2
T.T. Saigon	108
T.T. France	Nom.
T.T. Switzerland	98 1/2
T.T. Australia	1/0 1/2

BUYING

4 m/s L/C London	1/34
4 m/s D/P London	1/35
4 m/s L/C U.S.A.	24 3/4
4 m/s France	Nom.
30 d/s India	84 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in London	4.02 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in N.Y.	3.88 1/2

H.K. Stock Market

The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Market this morning.

BANKS

H.K. Banks	1,220 ca.
H.K. Banks (Lon.)	83 n.
H.K. Banks (H.K.)	80 n.
Chartered	61 1/2 n.
Mercantile, A. & B.	128 1/2 n.
Mercantile, C. & E.	112 1/2 n.
East Asia	73 n.

INSURANCES

Canton	215 n.
Union	350 n.
China Underwriters	40 cts. n.
H.K. Fire	100 n.

SHIPPING

Douglases	120 n.
Steamboats	11 n.
Indo-China P.	100 n.
Indo-China D.	80 n.
Shell (Boaters) s/-	33/9 n.
Waterboats s. x.d.	6.00 n.

DOCKS ETC.

Wharves	90 n.
Docks (old)	10.40 n.
Docks (new)	16 n.
Providents	3 1/4 n.
Sh. Docks Sh.	27 1/2 n.

MINING

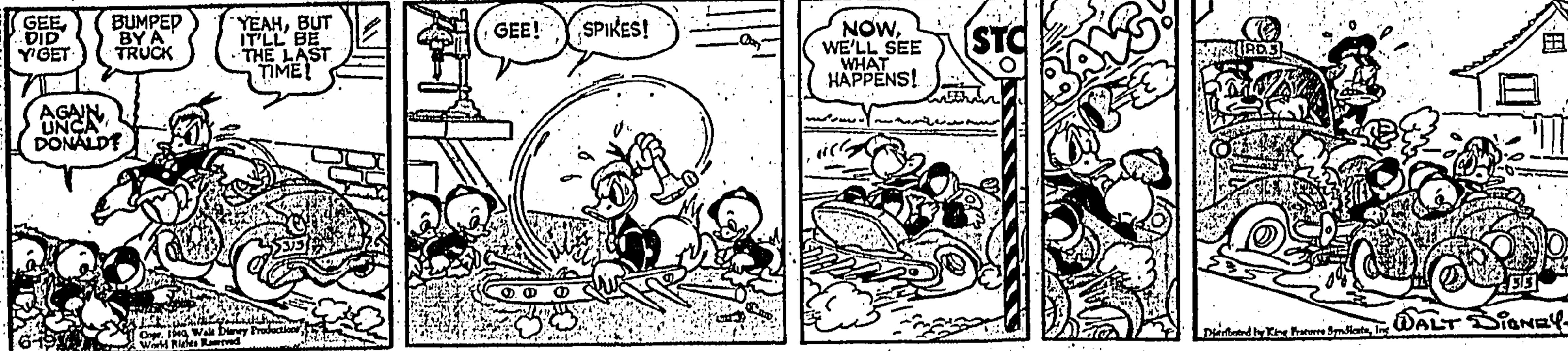
Kailan s/-	107 n.
Raub	8.95 n.
H.K. Mines	5 cts. n.

LANDS

Hotels \$.....	3 1/4
Lands \$.....	3
Lands 4% Debentures	10
Sh'al Lands Sh. \$.....	10.2
Humphreys \$.....	
H.K. Realties \$.....	3 1/4
Chinese Estates \$.....	101 1/2

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ARE YOU SURE?

1. What has hands but no fingers?
2. How long did the waters prevail while Noah took refuge in the ark?
3. The swan (1) is as good as it is (2) has been known to attack and kill children (3) will rescue drowning children.
4. Why does the wrong number seem never to be busy?
5. What is a franked letter?
6. What is the name of Gene Autry's horse?
7. Who is known as the Sage of Emporia?
8. The President has power to grant reprieves and pardons for offenses against the United States except in cases of —
9. Rube Goldberg is a (1) crazy mechanic, (2) cartoonist, (3) naturalist.
10. What English King was King of Scotland before he took the English throne?
11. What is the difference between a tornado and a typhoon?
12. From what city does port wine get its name?
13. Which two teeth normally come through first?
14. Express the decimal .005 as a percentage.



ANSWERS

1. A clock.
2. One hundred and fifty days.
3. (2) has been known to attack and kill children.
4. Because if it were busy, you'd never know it was the wrong number.
5. A letter which due to the sender's official position has been sent free of the usual post office charges.
6. Champion or Champ.
7. William Allen White.
8. Impeachment.
9. (2) cartoonist.
10. James I.
11. A tornado is a storm over land. A typhoon is a storm over the sea.
12. Oporto, Portugal.
13. The lower two front teeth.
14. 1/2%

Thoughts on INTERIOR DECORATION

I think I have dealt pretty thoroughly with interior house decoration in the past. We will now carry on with the exterior.

Home owners only are included in this treatise because, as we all know, a landlord doesn't care if the front wall falls in so long as he gets his rent.

WE will start with the gate. If it has rusty hinges and the latch won't work, just tear it off and throw it away. It's useless, anyway. Anybody can open it.

The front lawn is only a weekend penance, and should be dug up and crissed.

All cracks in the outer walls should be filled in. Soap is not bad, and it is easy to work, although the house during wet weather is likely to froth a bit. Still, I think this is rather picturesque, especially if you use scented soap.

The roof should be gone over thoroughly, preferably in the daytime. One is liable to render one's self conspicuous crawling about the roof with a hurricane lamp in the middle of the night.

The first thing to do when inspection of the roof is contemplated is to go somewhere and borrow a ladder. This takes about three days.

Always get your wife to hold the ladder, so that you have something soft to fall on in case of accidents.

HAVING reached the roof, examine the guttering carefully for birds' nests, tennis balls, stones, and empty rum flasks.

We then come to the roof proper. If it is a tiled roof it is better to stay on the ladder. This also applies to slate roofs.

Corrugated iron roofs may be inspected with a fair amount of impunity, and you can always get someone to call the local fire brigade to get you down again.

If the roof needs painting, paint yourself all over first and then paint the roof. Then, if you get paint on you while painting the roof it won't matter.

Having finished the roof, wipe your hands on your hair and go to the nearest hotel and have three pints. I make this an invariable rule when painting roofs.

My wife often wonders why I paint the roof six times a week.

When (and if) you get down off the roof, the front and back doors are the next things to be examined. You will probably find that all the paint is scratched off around the keyhole and that the lower portion is dented in various places where you have been kicking it when you have lost your key.

If the door is very bad, take it off its hinges and turn it around so that the outside is on the inside.



This may be a bit confusing at first, when you think you're going out when you're coming in. But you'll get used to it in time. After all, appearance is everything.

Windows should come next. Good taste dictates that a window with a rusted sash-cord should not be propped up with an empty sauce bottle.

Replacing sash-cords is a ticklish job, and I have found it easier to punch a hole in the window when fresh air is needed and paste a piece of brown paper over the hole.

Both parts of this dual structure will, I think, be found to be necessary.

People who nonchalantly raise and shut windows would be astonished if they could see the inner works. Pulleys, ropes, and lead weights are necessary to open a window. Brute strength is necessary to shut it.

I wonder what sticky-beak invented window?

Veranahs, if you have any, should be inspected for white ants and borers once a month. It is embarrassing for any home-owner to invite his guest out on to the veranda and see him plunge through the floorboards into the cellar.

Have you a cellar? People without cellars don't know what they're missing.

When our doorbell rings and we don't know who it is we always go into the cellar.

During the depression we practically lived in it. It was a bit damp

and I think that's where I contracted my pneumonia. But it was worth it.

Now that we have risen in financial status, we are living in the attic.

We are not so troubled with the rats, but occasionally have bats. I would like to tell you about tuckpointing and dampcourses, but I haven't the time. This is a pity because the dampcourse is particularly fascinating.

I speak as one who has been over the subject many times. There are no water jumps.

Strangely enough, there are no water jumps.

I now have an important appointment to avoid. EXCUSE ME!

R.A.F. CONTINUES DAYLIGHT RAIDS

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Air Ministry announces that in daylight on Wednesday Royal Air Force planes launched daylight attacks on German military objectives and shipping off the German and Dutch coasts.

They battled German fighting planes, two of which were brought down. One British bomber is missing.

On Wednesday night the Royal Air Force bombed the Missburg and Emmerich oil refineries, supply depots on the Zuyder Zee, and Dutch and German airbases, during which operations two British aircraft were lost.

Nazi Report

BERLIN, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Nazi Comintern states: "Bombs were dropped from enemy planes on the night of July 31—August 1 on northern and western Germany. They caused slight damage."

"One enemy plane flying at a great height above the clouds dropped a number of bombs in the centre of the city of Hanover from any military objectives, severely damaging a number of houses and killing or wounding a number of persons."

We're On The Job

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The following are quotations from recent German newspapers.

"Deutsch Allgemeine Zeitung," July 17: "English incendiary bombs are of greater power and penetration than usually presumed. The range and penetrating power of the splinters of the explosive bombs have been much under-estimated. The distance at which such splinters can bring death and destruction is incredible. We have seen one splinter the size of a fist, come clean through a heavy oak door and two compact walls of a safe."

"Even thick walls do not offer any definite protection. The air attacks which are repeated night after night are a heavy strain on our nerves."

The same paper on July 14 in an article entitled "Bombs on Hamburg" states: "It is only natural that to stay in air-raid shelters has become a nightly habit. Already people are most surprised if such visits by the English have for once not taken place and they make guesses as to why the night was quiet."

The "Munchener Neueste Nachrichten" on July 17 said: "Of late there has hardly been one night when enemy aircraft did not approach Germany on a stratosphere flight and drop bombs somewhere."

BAHAMAS GOVERNOR

Duke Of Windsor En Route To America

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor boarded the American steamer Excalibur early on Wednesday.

The main cabins for the Duke's entourage are surrounded by a veranda, enabling maximum privacy during the voyage.

The Duke and Duchess of Windsor are silent regarding their schedule after arrival in New York and there is no information available locally regarding the possibility of the British Navy keeping watch over the Excalibur while enroute.

The Duke is subject to seizure by Germany or Italy as a war prisoner and suggestions have been made that the British fleet—despite the American prohibition of convoys for American vessels—might keep watch from a distance. The date of the Duke's arrival at Nassau is not known.

Bahamas Prepare

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

NASSAU, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Bahamas are making elaborate preparations to install the Duke of Windsor as Governor when he arrives in the middle of this month.

The Duke's title will be "Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony."

The social and official title of the American born Duchess, who has never been granted Royal distinction, will be defined by the Colonial Secretary in London.

Liner Sails

NEW YORK, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The American Export Line has announced that the Duke and Duchess of Windsor have sailed from Lisbon in the liner Excalibur.

They are due at New York on August 9.

Duke's Entourage

LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—It is understood that the Duke of Windsor's entourage includes Major Gray Phillips, the Duke's personal Secretary; Captain George Jervis Wood, Aide de Camp; Mr. Vyvian Drury, Equerry, and Miss Fryth, the Duchess' maid.

BIG QUAKE RECORDED

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

PAZENDA, Aug. 1 (UP).—The Italian Seismologist, Raffaele Benedetti, announces that his seismograph registered the most violent earthquake in many years at 3.20 p.m., G.M.T.

He estimates the epicentre to be in eastern Asia somewhere north of Japan.

CASE FOR FEDERAL UNION

THE Discussion which Mr. Clarence Streit's book, "Union Now," started, both in Europe and America, is wholly to be welcomed. To-day rational thought on the problems of Federal Union is still possible. Moreover, when the storm of war has passed and the time has come to rebuild, ideas and projects worked out now, even though they shall seem for a while to have been buried, may

come to peaceful life again.

The only solid reason why I hesitate to back Mr. Streit's plan as it stands is because I do not believe that American opinion will back it. I cannot think that the United States will accept so wholesale a pooling of their national sovereignty with Old Europe.

Personally—and I do know that many of my countrymen agree with me in this—I would be disposed to support, as part of the peace settlement following this war, the widest and most ambitious federal

scheme that will win general consent.

Many of us in Britain who backed the League of Nations, Woodrow Wilson's child, from its birth—even when it was disowned in the land of its parentage—even when its Covenant was constantly violated, both in the letter and the spirit, even when in successive crises the world-wide membership of the League was steadily eroded, and when British and other, oozed out of their boots, even when aggressors, first in one continent and then in another, broke the peace and themselves were not broken, would be prepared at the end of this war, for something much bigger and bolder and stronger than that most disappointing League.

The opposition to bold federal schemes will not come from those like-minded with us. It will come from faint hearts, from the vested national interests, from the traditionalists, and the isolationists in all lands, from those who ask "Am I my brother's keeper?" and don't know the answer.

The obvious sensible solution is to set up a world government, and drown all national sovereignties. But this, I fear, will be too simple and too quick for the treaty makers. If so, we shall have to do our best with something less.

We must be prepared to take the most we can get of powers for a supernatural authority—to consolidate that conquest, and then strive to enlarge it. We must seek to dilute national sovereignty, if we cannot drown it, to the greatest extent possible over the widest possible area. For, indeed, as has been well said, we must choose in future between sovereignty and security.

What structure, less complete than a full world government, would both secure our immediate purpose, and allow of future extension? It should, I think, contain two elements, first a Universal World Society, with certain minimum obligations and minimum rights of membership, to which all nations should belong. And, second, within this world-wide membership, regional groups, more closely knit, in Europe and in other parts of the world, with much more pooling of sovereignty and a much higher level of common obligations and rights than in the wider body. Both parts of this dual structure will, I think, be found to be necessary.

Some critics of the League of Nations say that it failed because it was too universal. But in truth, it was never universal. The United States was never a member. Germany did not join till 1923, nor Russia till 1934. Japan, Germany, and Italy left during the period of decline after 1931 because they chose aggression and treaty-breaking rather than the rules of the League Covenant. Brazil and other American states resigned for less substantial reasons. Some member states have disappeared because they have been eaten alive by aggressors. And Russia has just been expelled for trying to eat Finland alive.

But because the League was never universal and, in particular, because the United States was not a member, it was never possible to make League membership attractive from the economic standpoint.

The obvious principle would have been that of the Open Door, and rights of equal access to colonial markets and raw materials should be available to League

members and to them only. In that case to leave or to be expelled from the League would be to lose solid economic advantages. But such a policy of discrimination was never practical politics, given that the United States preferred to stay outside the League. And thus, on those occasions when strong centrifugal forces showed themselves at Geneva, there was no steady pull the other way. It was partly because membership seemed to be worth the little, either in normal or abnormal times, that in the end the League fell to bits. And for this inherent weakness in the League the United States bears almost all the responsibility.

Hence the need at the conclusion of this war for a world-wide international society, membership of which should be an indispensable condition for the enjoyment of the economic advantages indicated above. The minimum obligations would no doubt have to be less than those of the League Covenant, but I should hope that they might at least include the duty to consult with other nations in the event of aggression or threat of aggression, the duty to submit all international disputes to predetermined peaceful procedures, and the duty to expel, and thereby to deprive of the above economic advantages, any State found guilty of aggression or other grave breach of its international undertakings. It is this last duty which, if States are to be held within the Society and given material inducements to be good neighbours, is crucial.

And these inducements might be substantial as to form most potent instruments for keeping the peace. Equal economic access, with the political rules, to all colonial territories not yet self-governing, is in itself a great inducement.

81 HELD AT PANAMA

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1 (UP).—The War Department announces that 81 foreign agents have been detained at Panama.

HONG KONG SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN

THE SOCIETY ASKS FOR \$35,000

In 1940 to meet the increasing needs of sick and destitute children in Hong Kong, against which the income to date is \$22,000 only.

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By William Green

President of the American Federation of Labour,
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filiated unions number 1,563.

condemns, without
hesitation or reservation,
the policies and prac-
tices of Nazi Germany,

Soviet Russia and Fas-
cist Italy. Our hope and
prayer is that the forces
of Totalitarianism may

be crushed once and for
all in this war.

We cannot contem-
plate even the possibili-
ty of free men submit-
ting to dictatorship.

We in the United
States know to-day that
even our country is
menaced. Therefore, our
Government has launch-
ed the greatest national
defence programme in
the nation's history.

We have served warn-
ing to the dictators of
Europe to keep their
hands off the Western
Hemisphere. The area
of our national defence
includes the Dominion
of Canada, and we shall
permit no foreign in-
vader to set foot on its
soil.

The working men and
women of the United
States say to the workers
of Great Britain and
France: "Keep up your
courageous fight, our
hearts are with you. We
will do everything that
lies within our power to
help you."

Britain "Listens In"

Among radio-speakers
who talk in English at
regular intervals from
abroad the best-known
to British listeners are
Mr. Raymond Gram
Swing, and a person
known as Lord Haw-
Haw whose words are
sent out from Hamburg
and Bremen. Strange
that can be put on one's
that men so diametrical-
ly opposite as these two
should be the favourites
in Britain. But per-
haps "favourite" as
applied to the second of
them is not the word.

No one likes Lord Haw-
ing. The Briton has
little expectation that
he will be the United States
listen. Partly it is from
sheer curiosity, and
partly because it is in-
formative to know the
very worst construction
own actions. If this is
well, it is better
to know.

The Briton switches
off and turns to Mr.
Swing. "America speak-
ing." The Briton has
not, as they are, im-
belleve him, but they
merised in war and
thoughts of war.

The
Hongkong Telegraph

Friday, August 2, 1940.

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My Five Weeks In France

By RONALD
WALKER

War Correspondent with the
R.A.F. in France

It all happened in five astonish-
ing weeks. They are weeks
that seem like years.

Looking back there is but a
muddle of impressions and
memories all crowded one into
the other. I have not yet been
able to sort them out.

During those weeks I saw the
rapid collapse of France. At the
time I did not realise the true
significance of the startling events
which followed one on the other.

Germany invaded Holland on May
10. That evening I left London to
hurry back to R.A.F. H.Q. by boat.
Next morning we were greeted at Le
Havre by the wailing sirens which
were to become all too familiar.
That evening I got back to the town
in the Champagne country which
was our headquarters.

Already the Germans had begun
bombing our aerodromes. Two
1,000lb. bombs had missed the
chateau which housed H.Q., but had
upset the swarm of staff officers who
flew the aeroplanes from office desks.

That is the beginning of the
story. The first real shock came
with the news that the Germans
had broken through at Sedan.

In six days the people of the town
who had watched the streams of
refugees from Belgium and the fron-
tier areas were packing and joining
the procession.

I still marvel at the spirit of the
French people who accepted the fate
which war imposed. They fled from

their homes. Their patience was
heroic.

Before I managed to get a lift
home in an R.A.F. machine from a
port on the west coast of France our
H.Q. had made three moves, dictated
by the rapidly advancing German
forces.

When we drove out of the
Champagne town, it was shak-
ing with the bursting of Ger-
man bombs from machines
which flew about almost un-
challenged.

After that the Advanced Air Strik-
ing Force led a thoroughly gipsy life
wandering across France.

During those weeks I was twice
in Paris. It was Paris of the sum-
mer. The Champs Elysees was gay
with the coloured awnings and
umbrellas of the cafes. The capital
carried on, even though the enemy
was pounding at the defences away
to the north-east.

One happening hit the people of
Paris hard during those early days.
I came out at nine o'clock one morn-
ing to learn of the capitulation of
Leopold. Paris did not smile that
day.

Only last Saturday week I was
swimming in the lovely pool of

the Racing Club in the Bois de
Boulogne.

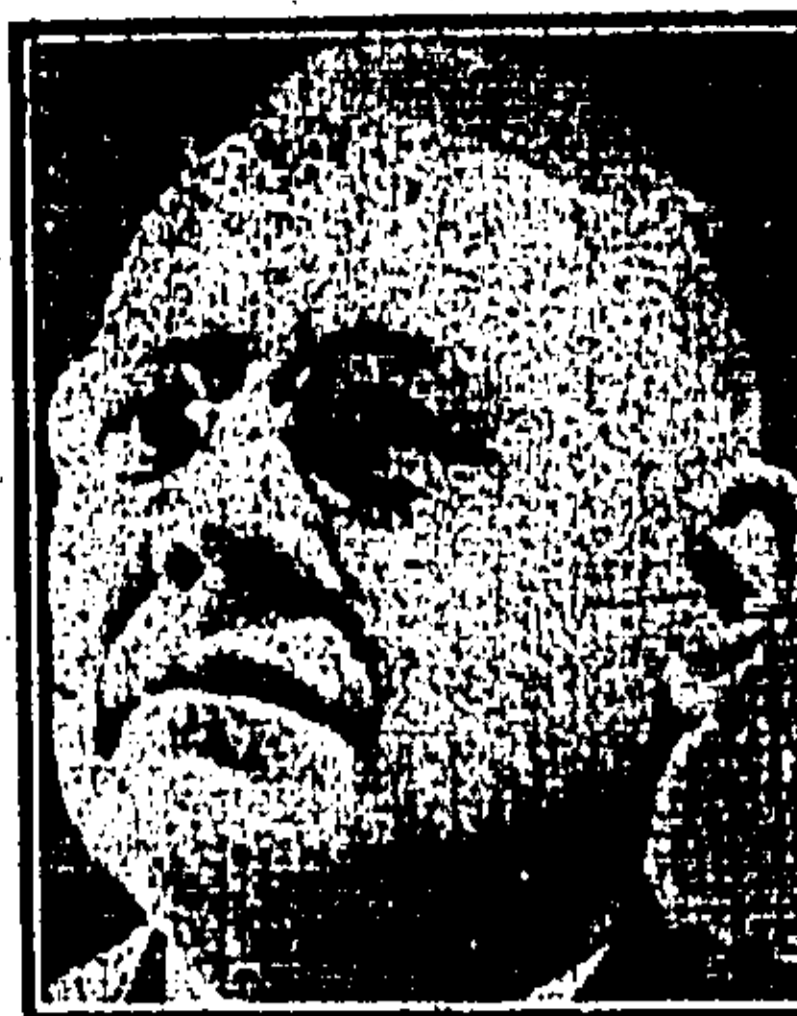
In the hot sun and among the lazy
figures soaking it up, the war seemed
very improbable. Two days later
the people of Paris were stampeding
out of the city as the Germans swept
across the Seine.

I shall not forget those last hours
in Paris, the courage of the people
suddenly brought face to face with
final disaster, the terrible scenes at
the stations where thousands waited
for hours and days for trains, the
resignation of people who just set
and waited for the end.

Also, I shall never forget
those endless streams of re-
fugees who poured out endless-
ly along all roads leading to the
south. All towns in their path
became babel and confusion.
The din of that unending traffic
still rings in my ears.

My last journey in France was
made in a horse-box—the famous
"Hommes 40 Chevaux 8" kind.
There were nearly 300 of us, R.A.F.
officers and men. We spent two
days in that train to travel some
150 miles. We got to our destina-
tion tired and filthy on Saturday
morning. Bacon and eggs in a
Salvation Army hut cheered us up.
Again we got into a refugee-filled
town. I slept in a garage.

In the morning I got the unex-
pected chance of a seat in an air-
craft. Flying over the English
southern counties the previous five
weeks seemed all the more in-
credible. All those journeys across



Our ISLAND'S SAFETY

By Brigadier-General C. F.
ASPINALL-OGLANDER

MR. CHURCHILL warned us of
the grave possibility that, has
now become a fact—the possibility
that we might have to continue the
war alone.

A glance at the map shows the
difficulties France has had to endure
in face of the success of Germany's
hammer blows. The thrust to the
Channel ports and the treachery of
King Leopold robbed her of the help
of the greater part of the British
Expeditionary Force and two of her
own armies. It gravely increased
the length of the defensive front that
she had to hold with her depleted
resources and entirely destroyed the
value of the Maginot Line.

The situation for this country is
the gravest in our history, but in
Mr. Churchill's brave words, "We
shall yet weather the storm if we all
do our duty."

But we must first defeat our two
greatest enemies—our smug self-
satisfaction and our habitual and all
but unconquerable self-complacency.
Infinitely serious as the news of
the surrender of the French Army
is there will be one compensating
advantage so far as the safety of this
island is concerned.

So long as the French held out we
in duty bound had to disseminate
our strength by sending every man
and weapon we could spare to that
country and, with the Channel ports
lost, the problem of transporting
them assumed greater and more
difficult proportions every day.

Relieved of that responsibility, we
shall be able to concentrate our
military and air force resources on
defeating any attempts at invasion
which are certain to be made in the
almost immediate future.

It is no longer a question of pro-
tecting ourselves only against attack
from the air and invasion by air-
borne troops.

With the Germans in possession of
the whole coast from Antwerp to the
Atlantic, it can no longer be expect-
ed that our Navy will be able to
guarantee protection from the arrival
of sea borne troops. Fleets of fast
motor-boats can be transported in
hundreds by rail to the French
Channel ports and they can complete
the Channel crossing at lightning
speed.

It is to the Air Force more than
to the Navy that we must look for
assistance to hinder and harass such
motor fleets both on passage and at
the moment of disembarkation; and
there is also the growing need for a
strong mobile force of land troops to
be kept in readiness to proceed to
any threatened point.

The L.D.V. will be of inestimable
value in forwarding early informa-
tion of enemy movements, but they
are not yet sufficiently armed or
trained to be of real fighting value.

FUNNY SIDE UP

By Abner Dean



"It's a recipe she coaxed out of the concessionaire at the ball park!"

that lovely French country turned
into chaos by the spread of war were
curiously remote.

The Helsinki which came over
and bombed when we were stopped

in the station at Tours did not seem
so real. And it made me mad to
think of the Germans stumbling
about the Paris which I had left less
than a week before.

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

France was now faced with a difficult task of healing the wounds of

Nothing definite could be said with regard to Norway at the moment in view of her particular situation. With regard to Sweden it was a political aspiration of these circles with regard to Russo-Japanese relations still remains obscure on many points."

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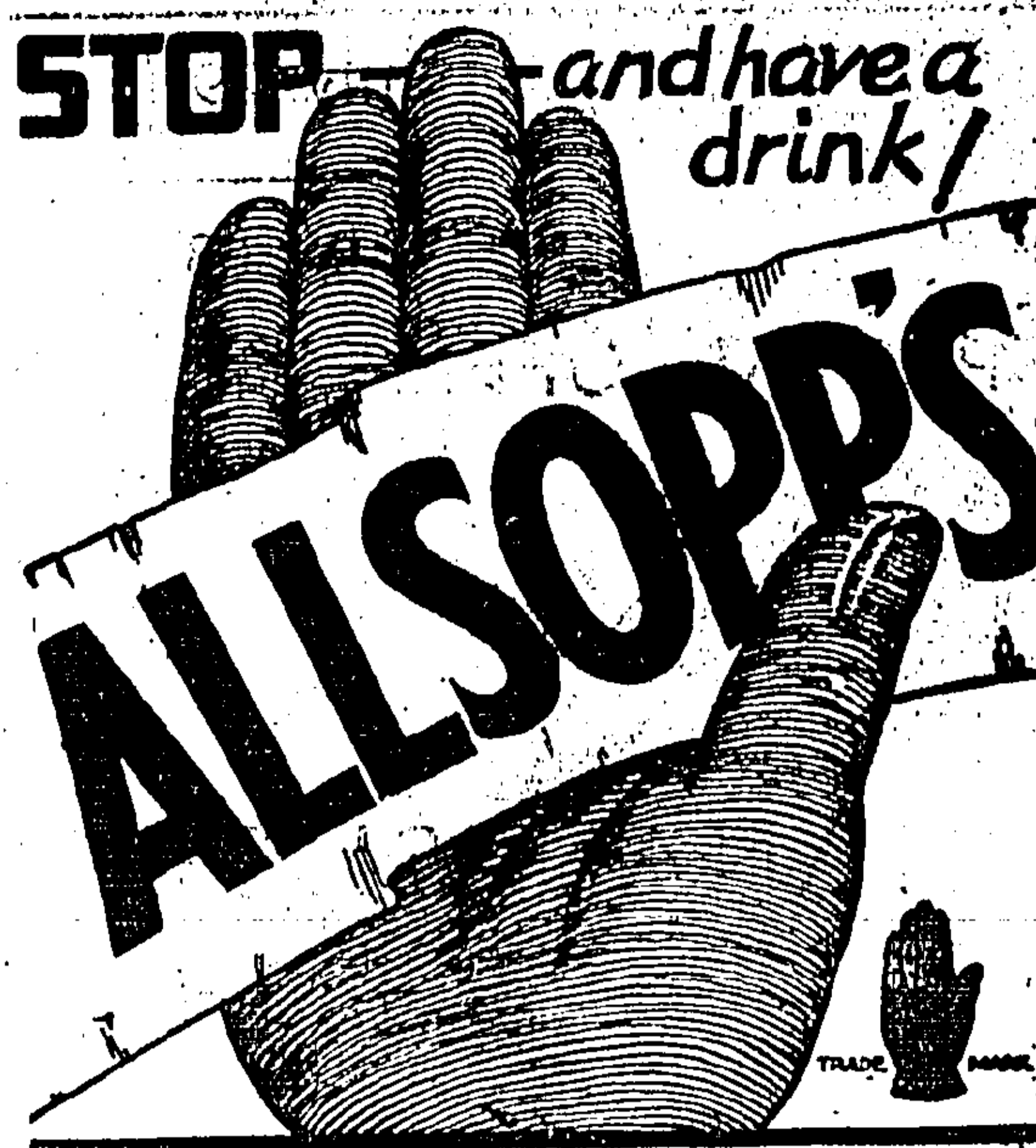
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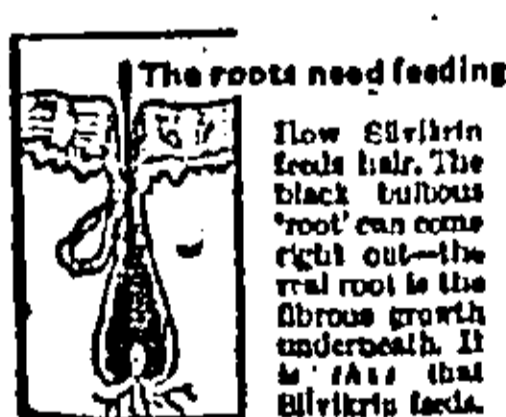
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HITLER'S CHANGED PLANS SPECULATION

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—Has Hitler decided to abandon his blitzkrieg in favour of intensified air attacks on British ships?

Two Gunners Sentenced

Seven And Five Months
Detention Ordered

Sentence has been promulgated on the two gunners who figured in an incident with a superior officer in the Peninsula Hotel on July 7.

Gunner E. E. Milson was found guilty of charges that he, while on active service, used insubordinate language to a superior officer, Flight-Lieut. McGovern, and attempted to strike him; and three other charges of using insubordinate language to superior officers. Milson was sentenced to seven months' detention.

Three Charges

Gunner W. H. Davies, who was with the first accused, was found guilty of using insubordinate language to a superior officer, Flight-Lieut. McGovern, using abusive language whilst in a public omnibus in military

U.S. Maintenance For Evacuees

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—President Roosevelt has asked Congress to appropriate immediately \$125,000 to be used for a Children's Bureau to establish and maintain a standard of care for European refugee children.

custody, and using insubordinate language to superior officers in Nanking Barracks. Davies was sentenced to five months' detention. The gunners were tried by District Court Martial at Stanley Barracks on July 23 and 24.

Hitler's Lost Chance

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Cairo newspaper, "Mokattam", discussing the causes of the delay in the date of the German offensive against Britain which was publicly announced for the 15th, then the 20th and then the 25th of July, states, "there is no doubt that every day that passes reduces the Fuehrer's chances of success, and increases England's. Hitler has definitely lost his chance of a lightning victory."

OBITUARY

Admiral H. W. Parker Dies, Aged 65

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The death is announced of Admiral Henry Wise Parker, C.B., C.M.G., at the age of 65. Admiral Parker entered H.M.S. Britannia in 1880, became Commander in 1905, Captain in 1914, Rear-Admiral in 1925, Vice-Admiral in 1929 and Admiral in 1933. He commanded H.M.S. Benbow in the Battle of Jutland, 1916, and was mentioned in despatches. He was director of the Operations Division of the Naval Staff, 1922-24. He commanded H.M.S. Repulse on its Empire Cruise in 1924. He was Rear-Admiral Commanding 1st Cruiser Squadron, Mediterranean Fleet, from 1928 to 1930, and Admiral Commanding Reserves from 1931 to 1933. He was placed on the retired list in 1934.

CALCUTTA JUDGE HERE BY PLANE

Mr. Justice G. D. McNair of Calcutta was among the arrivals by Imperial plane at Kai Tak this morning. The Judge is on his way home to see his family in England, and will be leaving the Colony by the next Clipper flying boat. He expects to return to Calcutta in September. Other passengers were Mr. K. H. Vaisie, Company Director; Mr. R. K. Speirs, chemist; and Mr. S. E. Dods, accountant. The Della was commanded by Captain M. Brunton and First Officer J. A. Samuels. She also carried 168 kilos of mail for Hongkong. The next outward plane is expected to leave on Sunday morning.

SWEDEN HIT AT POLICEMAN

Charged with behaving in a disorderly manner whilst under the influence of liquor, a Swedish, George Daniel Husehmidt, 25, clerk, was bound over in \$10 when he appeared before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistrate's court this morning. It was said defendant was taken to the Water Police Station by a rickshaw puller. There, defendant was alleged to have attempted to strike the Police officer in charge.

Libyan Frontier Casualties

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—It is learned in London that casualties on each side on the Libyan frontier since the beginning of the war with Italy have been as follows: British—Killed and missing, 20; wounded 10; vehicles, 10. Italians—Killed, 20; wounded, 20; captured, 472; vehicles, 90, including 16 guns.

Medical Supplies Via Burma Road

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Replying to a question in the House of Commons to-day, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said Red Cross and medical supplies were not within the categories of goods, the passage of which is forbidden by the Burma Road.

Australia's Income Tax Collection

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Australia will adopt the same method as Britain in the collection of income tax, which will be collected at the source. The possibility of instalment payments is being investigated.

Mr. Fillinghoff, Manager of the Haynes Service Station, Arsenal Street, has notified the Police, the theft from the Service Station of a calculator valued at \$400 and a fan worth \$10.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange Official Summary issued yesterday says: The market is off the bull, little trade has been reported to-day and listlessness replaces the burst of enquiries with which the week was ushered in.

Sales: H.K. Banks \$1,220; Cements \$16; Electric (new) \$30.

Major Baseball Dodgers Begin To Climb Again

NEW YORK, Aug. 1 (UP).—Brooklyn Dodgers have begun to climb again, and gained appreciably on the Cincinnati Reds in the National League with a double victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates to-day.

In the American League, the Cleveland Indians have lost first place to the Detroit Tigers, the Indians being beaten by the Boston Red Sox, while the Tigers trounced the New York Yankees 11-2.

Scores were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
Pittsburgh	11	0
Battery: Heinzelman, Bauers, Lopez		
Brooklyn	8	12
Battery: Wyatt, Hancock		
Pittsburgh	7	6
Battery: Butcher, Brown, Lennard, V. Davis		
Brooklyn	8	12
Battery: Gibson, Hamlin, Casey, Phelps, Mancuso		

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	2	7	1
Battery: Dreier, Donald, Dickey			
Detroit	5	10	0
Battery: Howe, Tobolski			
Boston	5	10	0
Battery: Ostermiller, Foxe			
Cleveland	2	7	4
Battery: Harter, Allen, Hensley, Pytlak			
Philadelphia	4	9	2
Battery: Potter, Hayes			
Chicago	5	10	1
Battery: Smith, Appleton, Treath			

Police Lawn Bowls Teams

THE FOLLOWING RINKS have been chosen to represent the Club de Recreio in League lawn bowls matches this week-end:

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3rd team v. Craglenower—
F. Nolan, H. Brown, J. Orem and J. Shephard.
4th team v. Craglenower—
A. J. Johnson, C. Wilcox, F. Channing and J. C. Atkinson.
5th team v. Craglenower—
J. W. Harrison, J. Willerton, A. Soutar and J. W. Macdonald.
6th team v. Craglenower—
W. S. Clarke, W. E. Hollands, J. R. McWalter and W. McLeod.

Give Warships To Britain, Urged

NEW YORK, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Fifty thousand copies of a printed statement urging the United States to make available at least 60 "over age" destroyers to Britain have been distributed to the nation by the Committee to Defend America by Aiding the Allies.

Under the heading of "Destroyers To-day or Destruction To-morrow," the statement says: "Destroyers may decide the issue this summer. If Britain fails to keep command of the seas, she will fall. That would mean grave peril for America."

Pilot Officer Brian Henry Black, former rugby international and one of the most versatile athletes of his generation, is reported in the latest R.F.C. casualty list as having died on active service—Reuter.

Louis-Baer Bout Abandoned

NEW YORK, July 27 (UP).—Mike Jacobs, leading promoter, announced to-day that he had abandoned plans for a world heavyweight championship clash in September between Joe Louis, title-holder, and Max Baer, former champion. He announced that Louis instead will fight the winner of the bout between Billy Conn, world light-heavyweight champion, and Bob Foster, New York heavyweight title-holder.

The bout between Conn and Foster, who was twice beaten by Louis, will be held next month.

LAWN BOWLERS SWEEP DRAW

Conditions In Event Of Postponements

DRAW for the weekly Lawn Bowlers Sweep, which is conducted solely among members of Lawn Bowls Clubs, was made this morning and resulted as follows:

FIRST DIVISION

C.S.C.C. (1011) v. Recreio "A" (903)	
Police (248) v. C.C.C. (419)	
Kowloon C.C. (776) v. K. Dockers (423)	
Recreio "B" (205) v. K.B.G.C. (1052)	
Hongkong F.C. (953) v. Indian R.C. (10)	

SECOND DIVISION

Police (477) v. C.C.C. (526)	
Recreio (486) v. Talkoo (751)	
K.B.G.C. (392) v. Hongkong C.C. (425)	
K. Tong (436) v. C.S.C.C. (70)	
K.C.C. (84) v. C.C.C. (111)	

THIRD DIVISION

Indian R.C. (623) v. P.O.C. (1048)	
C.C.C. (502) v. Electric (700)	
H.K.F.C. (101) v. K.F.C. (189)	
K.B.G.C. (645) v. H.K.C.C. (302)	

SHOULD weather to-morrow prevent any games being played, this week's sweep will be considered the "A" sweep, and next week's sweep the "B" sweep. Drawers of teams will retain their "rights" to that team in next week's programme, irrespective of who their opponents may be.

Thus, ticket No. 1011, having drawn the Civil Service, this week against Recreio "A" will, if the whole programme is washed out to-morrow, retain the C.S.C.C. against whoever may be the opponents next week.

A separate draw will be made for next week's programme. Should, however, three or more games be played to-morrow, and three of them go beyond or up to the 11th head before abandonment, then the prizes will be distributed on those results.

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Crossword Puzzle

By LAIS MORRIS

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

1-Change	2-Formal	3-Variously	4-Demanded	5-Repelled	6-Back	7-Child	8-Defiant	9-Extant	10-Dull	11-Cause to hang out	12-As tongue	13-Clear language	14-Make fun of	15-Quoniam	16-Generals	17-Interceded	18-Young girl	19-Panama opera	20-Prophecy	21-Whirlpool	22-Indian corn	23-Submarine premium	24-Get to shore	25-Help	26-Climbing device	27-Gadgets	28-Kind of roll	29-Kind of power	30-European kite	31-Diamond	32-Level	33-Short and pointed	34-Mile son of Noah	35-Top of head	36-Border on	37-Travel in vehicle	38-Latavely	39-Sum up
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1-Nation	2-Monism	3-holy book
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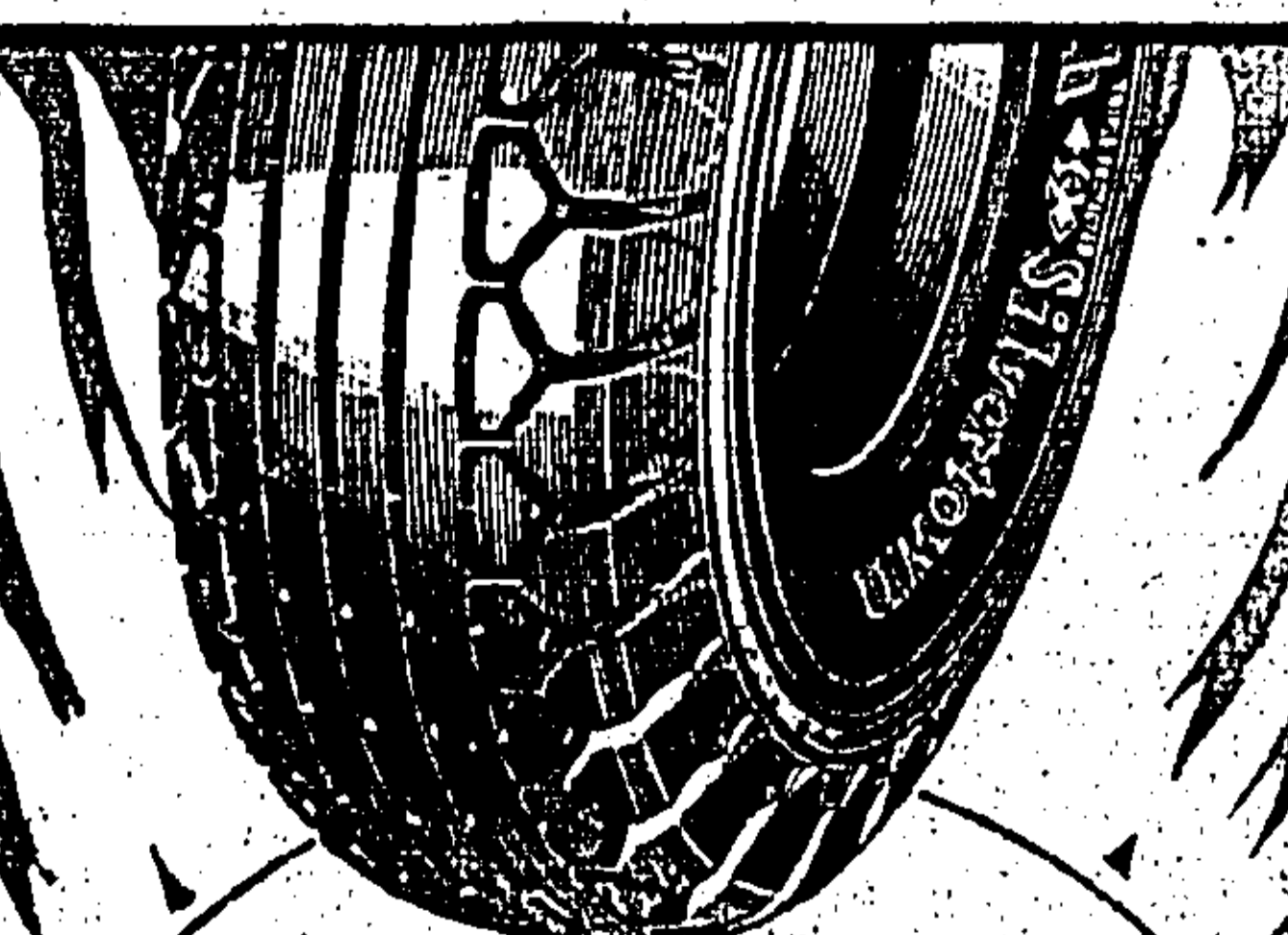
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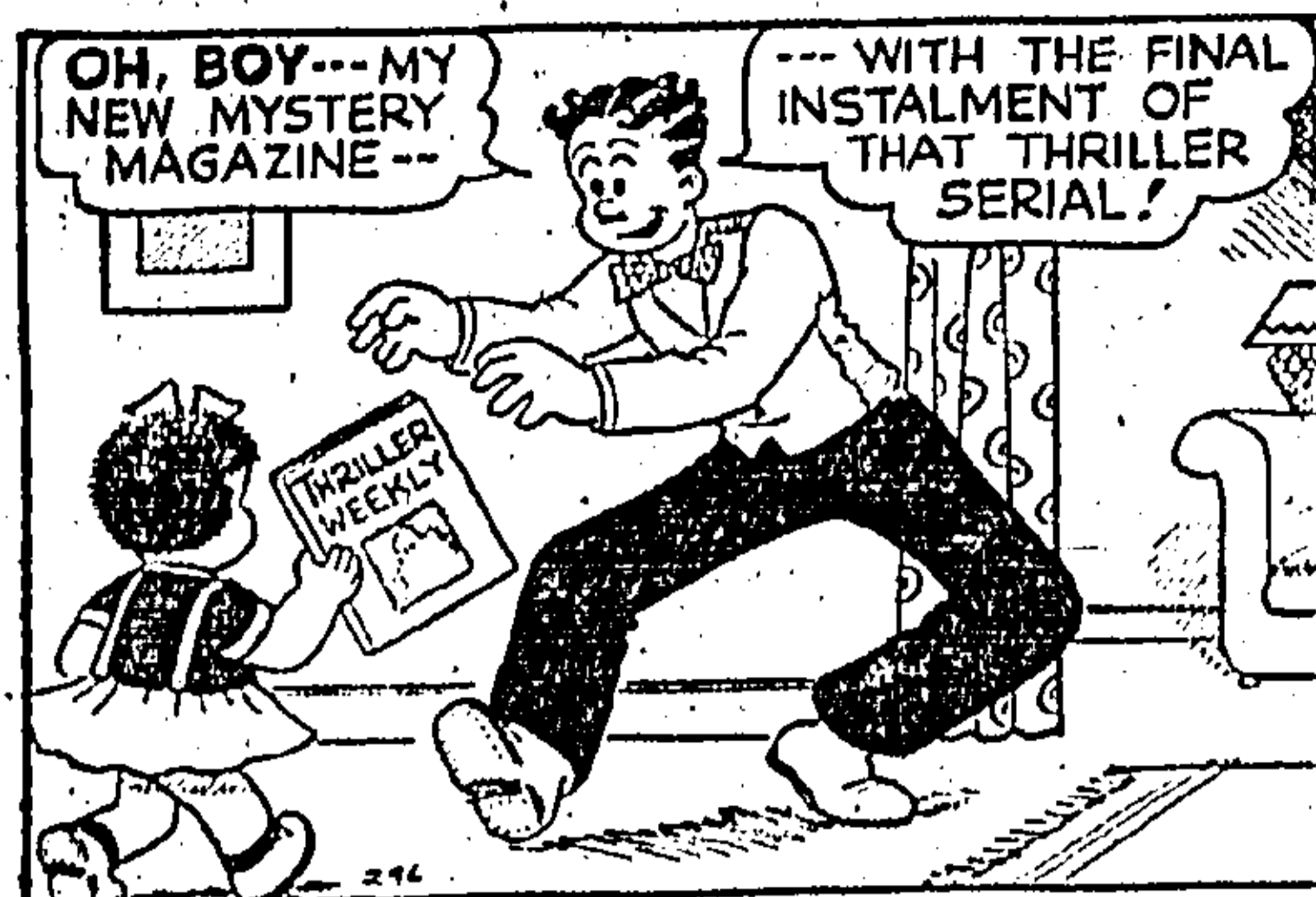


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"REUTERS" GIVE LIE DIRECT TO GOEBBELS

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—For a long time past, German and Italian wireless services have repeatedly made attacks upon "Reuters" and "Reuters" silence might possibly be misunderstood.

"Reuters" desire to give a flat denial to the following specific statement broadcast from Germany in connection with the tragic death of "Reuters" correspondent in Tokyo that "the connection between the British Intelligence Service and 'Reuters' has become very close not only in Japan but in other countries."

"Reuters" also flatly deny a further statement that "agents of the British Secret Service to-day hold important positions in practically every Reuter's office."

These categorical assertions are a complete lie from beginning to end and are obviously made in order to mislead or impress those people abroad who have no means of testing their veracity.

German Report Of Suicides

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Reports from Berlin state that there has been a large number of suicides among Government officials, Police officials and other officers in the Baltic countries.

Alcantara In Port

RIO DE JANEIRO, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The British merchant cruiser, Alcantara, which had an engagement with a German raider in South Atlantic two days ago, had a slight list to port when she crossed the bay on her way to dry-dock.

Despite stipulations of the Neutrality Act which prohibits warships of belligerent countries from remaining more than 24 hours in Brazilian ports, it is expected that the British Embassy will obtain permission for the Alcantara to stay for some days in order to carry out the necessary repairs.

German Claim

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The German official news agency states that the auxiliary cruiser which encountered the Alcantara has resumed activities against merchant shipping.

Govt. Concession

RIO DE JANEIRO, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—It is authoritatively learned that the Government is allowing the Alcantara to remain until repairs are completed as the engine room is damaged and the ship cannot proceed unless it is repaired.

A COSTLY CONFLICT

Nasty Realisation For Dictators

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The "New York Times" states that the tendency to prepare the German and Italian people for checks and delay confirms other indications that the Axis partners no longer hope to avoid the costly conflict with Britain.

It is significant, at any rate, that the British are moving swiftly while Hitler waits. With a boldness born of desperation or supreme confidence they have clamped down a blockade and aim at controlling the traffic in and out of every port in Europe.

Whether this assertion of Britain's single-handed power to rule the seas is the cause or effect of the German hesitation, it proclaims that the British are only beginning to fight. It looks as if on the eve of invasion they have beaten the Germans to the offensive.

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12.30 Piano Duets by Rawicz and Landauer.

12.44 Maurice Winnick and His Orchestra—Collection—Selection; The Great Ziegfeld—Selection; Some Other Time; On Treasure Island; Goosey Goosey.

1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 Albert Sandler and His Orchestra and Charles Kullman (Tenor). 1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Selections from Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado."

2.15 Close Down.

6.00 Latest Dance Music.

7.02 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.04 A Programme of Welsh Songs by Mable Parry (Soprano) in Welsh, Ben Morgan (Tenor) with Piano, in Welsh, William Edwards (Tenor) with Harp accompaniment, and the Rhonda Welsh Glee Singers with Piano, in Welsh.

7.30 London Relay—The News.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 A Variety Programme.

9.00 London Relay—The News.

9.30 London Relay—"World Affairs," by Wickham Steed.

9.45 A Request Classical Programme—Overture "William Tell" (Rossini), Boston Promenade Orchestra cond. by Arthur Fiedler; Prologue "Pagliacci" — Leoncavallo; Dennis Noble (Baritone) with Sadler's Wells Orchestra; Legende, Op. 17 (Wagner), Yehudi Menuhin (Violin) and Orchestra Des Concerts Colonne cond. by Georges Enesco; Song of the Volga Boatmen (Koonemann), Theodore Chailapine (Bass) with Orchestra; Tone-Poem "Finlandia" (Sibelius), Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra; See here, thy flow'ret ("Carmen"—Bibet), Beniamino Gigli (Tenor) with Orchestra; Nocturne in G Minor, Op. 15, No. 3 (Chopin), Nocturne in F Sharp Major, Op. 15, No. 2 (Chopin), Arthur Schnitzler (Piano); Like a Dream (Maurice Strakosky) with Orchestra; Concerto in E Minor, Op. 64 (Mendelssohn), 2nd and 3rd Movements only, Fritz Kreisler (Violin) and The State Opera Orchestra; Concerto for Trumpet and Orchestra (Haydn), George Eschdale (Trumpet) and Symphony Orchestra.

11.00 Close Down.

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Stockholm paper "Svensk Dag" reports from London state that British industrial production is exceeding all expectations.

LONE NAZI RAIDER THROUGH

Norwich Bombed: Civilians Killed

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Home Security issued the following communiqué to-day:

"A single enemy aircraft, flying at a great height, crossed the east coast this afternoon. It later dropped bombs at Norwich causing some damage to industrial premises and a number of civilian casualties, several of which were fatal.

"Elsewhere enemy activity has been confined to occasional flights over the English Channel, where two enemy aircraft were shot down by our fighters this evening.

"One of our fighters failed to return from patrol."

Bombs Start Fires

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"—LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—A German plane dropped bombs and strafed a south-eastern town this afternoon. Windows in stores and houses were shattered by bullets.

The bombs started fires and caused some casualties. British planes chased them.

German Report

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"—BERLIN, Aug. 1 (UP).—To-day's High Command communiqué says:

"Night raids were carried out with weak forces against shipping in harbours of south England as well as the enemy's searchlight batteries. Explosions and fires were observed.

"During the air battles off Dover last evening between Spitfires and Messerschmitts, five British planes and two barrage balloons were shot down without any German losses. Three other British planes were brought down during raids over Germany, Denmark and the Netherlands. The enemy's total losses were eight planes. Two German planes are missing."

Five People Killed

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Appearing suddenly out of the cloud, a German plane dived to about 400 feet over the centre of Norwich and dropped bombs which killed five people and injured several others.

One bomb demolished part of a warehouse and a second struck another building.

Another bomb wrecked a restaurant, the explosion lifting off the roof.

Southeast Town Raided

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The windows of shops and houses were shattered by bullets when a German plane machine-gunned and bombed a south-eastern town this afternoon. Bombs started a fire and caused some casualties.

Fighters pursued the raider.

WELLINGTON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—It is announced that a virtual moratorium has been imposed for the duration of the war by new regulations to give protection to mortgages and debtors.

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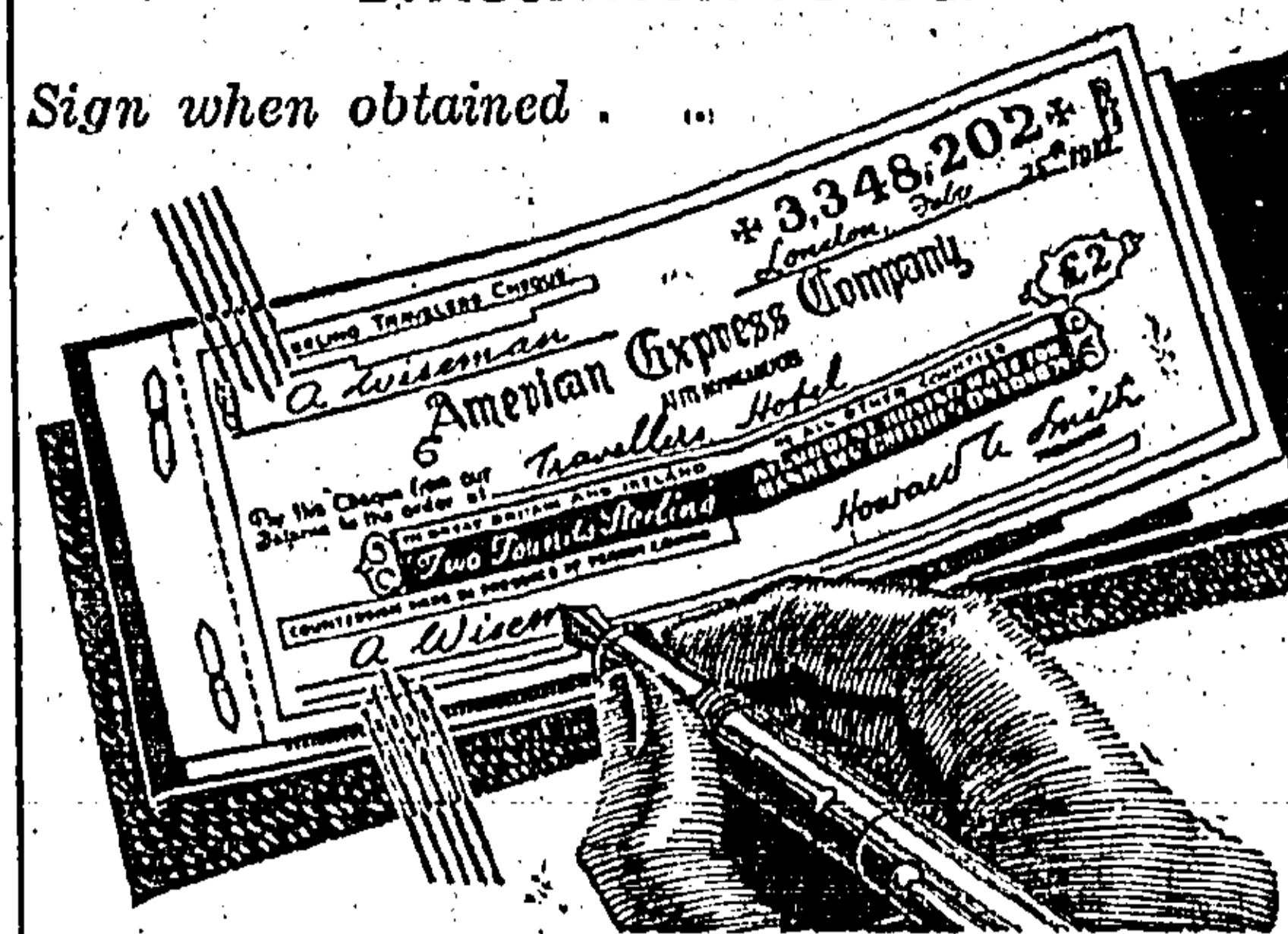
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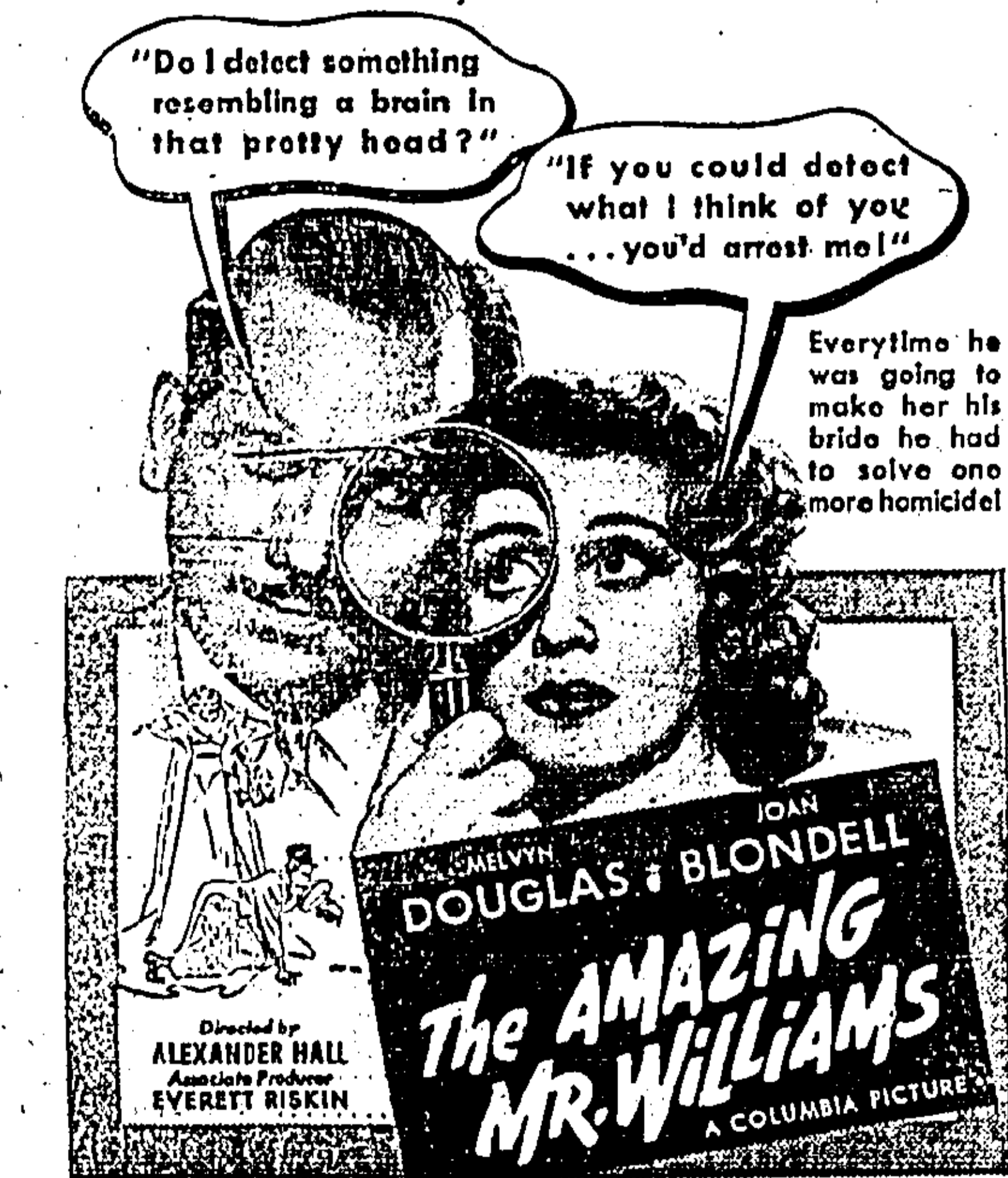
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Mobilising Industry

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LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The Government's new plan for the fullest employment of the industrial capacity on war requirements was explained to-day by Mr. Harold Macmillan, the Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Supply.

Mr. Macmillan declared that Mr. Herbert Morrison, the Minister of Supply, had requested the Production Council to consider the whole problem of "mobilising the industrial capacity and war requirements."

CARDINAL'S WARNING

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Cardinal Hinsley, speaking at the inaugural meeting of the movement "Sword of the Spirit"—designed to develop Catholic spiritual activities in "this fight for truth, freedom and justice," uttered a warning that the country was in peril from the wiles of those whose underlying purpose was to de-Christianise the whole of Europe and establish a pagan system of idolatry.

WAR IN AFRICA

ENEMY 'DROME RAIDED

NAIROBI, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Today's communiqué states: "Quiet day. Our bombers carried out a raid on the enemy aerodrome of Yavello. The results are awaited."

CAIRO, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—A communiqué issued to-day states: "A reconnaissance party pushing towards Dabel (Kenya) on July 30 withdrew after meeting strong opposition. On other fronts there is nothing to report."

MAORIS ENLIST

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—The New Zealand Minister of Defence announced that 43 per cent. of the Maoris eligible for enlistment have already volunteered for service with the Maori Battalion, whose total strength is 4,103.

THE WAR FUND

A total of \$1,300,569.07 was reached yesterday by the War Fund inaugurated by the S. C. M. Post, Ltd. Latest subscriptions:

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LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—A message from Madras states that £7,500 has been cabled from the Governor's War Fund to the British Air Ministry towards the cost of the Madras Squadron of the R.A.F. The total amount sent so far is £33,750.

OTTAWA, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Mr. C. D. Howe, the Minister of Munitions, announced to-day that the output of Bren guns during July was "virtually doubled."

OTTAWA, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—Since the evacuation of British children to Canada began, 227 have been admitted to Canada for the duration of the war, it was stated in the House of Commons to-day.

BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE STIFFENS

Japan Must Release Detained Subjects

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Aug. 1 (UP).—It is reliably reported that the release of six of the Britons arrested in Japan has failed to satisfy the British Government.

Unless the Japanese authorities promptly free the remaining seven British subjects who are under detention, it is believed that Britain will be forced to take action exceeding the mere making of representations.

Japan's Foreign Policy

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" WASHINGTON, Aug. 1 (UP).—American newspapers make sensational play on the Tokyo pronouncement on foreign affairs.

None, however, has commented editorially as yet.

The Washington "Star" streamered the story in its largest front page headlines with "Japanese Move to Dominate All the East."

The Washington "News" headlined the story with "Japan States Plan for Far Eastern Dominance."

Official quarters withheld comment. Unofficial and other political circles, however, expect that the statement will widen the already great rift in the outlook of the United States and Japan towards the Pacific.

Japan's Commitment

Japan is now regarded as having abandoned even nominal parliamentary system of government, and has moved closer to a totalitarian regime.

Secondly, Japan is regarded as having more than ever committed herself to her "Great East Asia" programme, which, it is thought, includes the South Seas.

Both developments are regarded as having taken Japan away from friendship with the Democracies and to have lightened her association with the Axis powers.

Whether relations between Japan and the United States worsen depends, it is thought, on the steps Japan takes to fulfil her programme.

Nazis Feel The Strain

Devastating Effect Of R.A.F. Raids

LONDON, Aug. 1 (Reuter).—An American newspaper correspondent, who has been allowed to travel through parts of industrial Germany has just sent an account of his tour.

In one town near the edge of the Ruhr, he reports, people have spent every night for the past two weeks in their air raid shelters. They do not get to bed until 3 a.m.

In the Ruhr itself, factory chimneys are almost as thick as a forest. German officials claimed that no factories had been hit in the raids, but made no reply when asked how the R.A.F. could fail to make an occasional hit when the factories were so thickly clustered together.

German Confession

German official lists give the number of explosive and incendiary bombs dropped, the number of dead and wounded and the number of houses destroyed, but make no mention of factories.

German official circles, however, admit that an ammunition dump at Hamm was set on fire and that in another town at least 17 were killed, which figure they said was higher than some other cities.

In this connection it is interesting to note what General von Schroeder, the German air raids precaution chief, wrote in the "Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung" on July 17. In a two-column interview, he spoke of the terrible destructive power of the British bombs. "I myself have seen one splinter, the size of a fist, go through a heavy oak door and two walls of a safe," he was quoted as saying.

Such attacks as Germany had had, he admitted, were a heavy strain on the German masses.

Labour Volunteers

Ministry Forms Branch To Organise Foreigners

LONDON, Aug. 1. The Minister for Labour and National Service, Mr. Ernest Bevin, in the House of Commons to-day announced the formation of an International Labour Branch as part of the Employment Department of the Ministry of Labour with a view to organising the manpower of Allied nations and other well-disposed persons of foreign nationality in the United Kingdom.

Mr. Bevin added that he hoped to have the advice and assistance of an advisory committee including trade union representatives from foreign countries. He hoped thereby to get valuable assistance in establishing the bona fides of well-disposed foreigners and in bringing sympathetic consideration to bear on individual cases.

Asked to see that Englishmen had preference, Mr. Bevin replied that it was the policy of his Department to see that British people had preference, but at present he was extremely short of skilled men and in utilising the skill and ability of a number of foreigners he would actually be putting British people to work.

Mr. Bevin declared that his Department had nothing to do with people who were interned, the question of whose release was a matter for the Home Secretary. His committee would work through the Trade Union Congress with the assistance of the Employers' Organisation.

Concluding, Mr. Bevin said: "I do not propose to use the term aliens or refugees. It is my intention once foreigners have been passed on to me by the Security Department and when security is not in danger to call them an international labour force."

CANTON DISPUTE

British River-boat Held During Negotiations

Following a dispute, the China Navigation Company's Fatsan, on the Hongkong-Canton service, has been delayed. The steamer left Hongkong for Canton on Tuesday and was to have returned last night. Her departure yesterday morning was delayed pending solution of a certain question that has arisen regarding the terms of operation on the Canton River. No details of the question have been revealed.

It is expected that the matter will be settled shortly, and the steamer is expected to leave for Hongkong to-day.

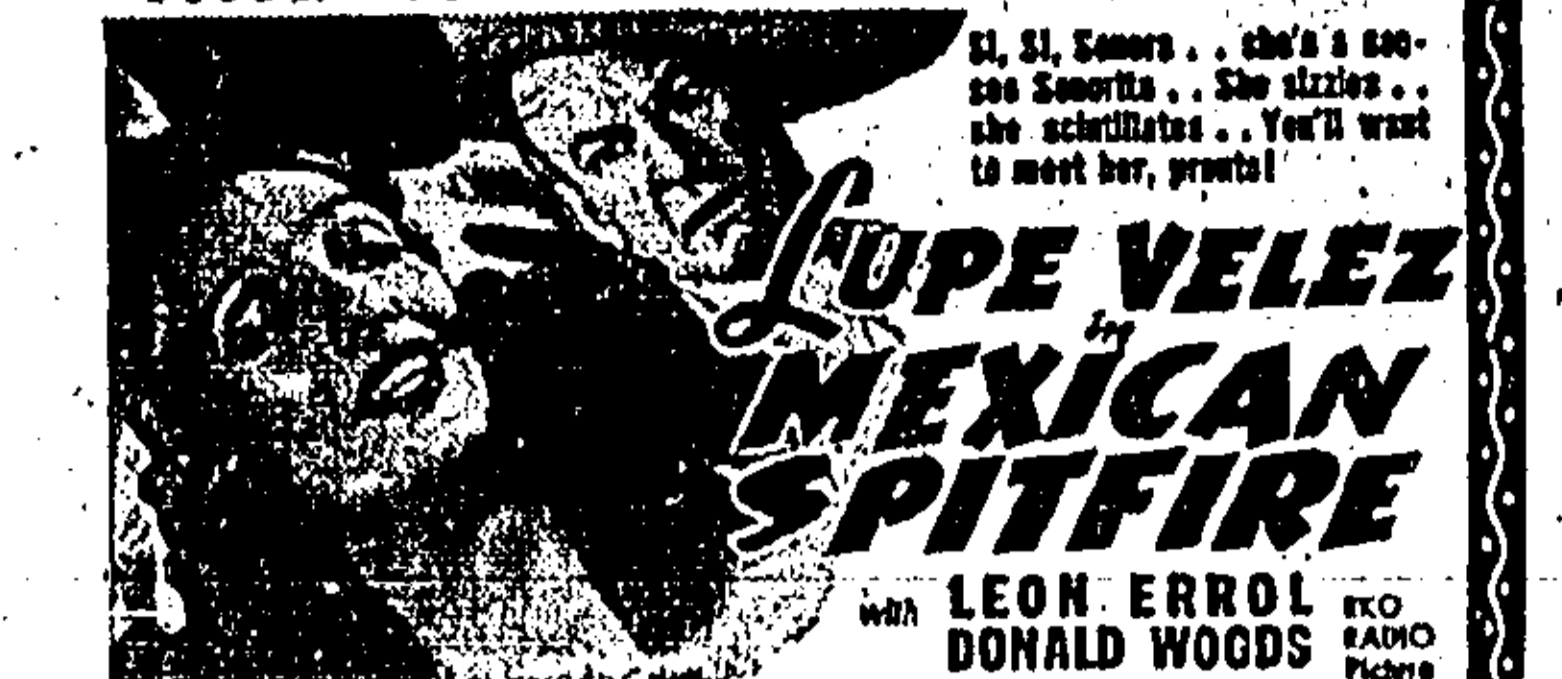
The Japanese Consul-General at Hongkong, Mr. Okazaki, said yesterday that he did not know how the dispute had arisen.

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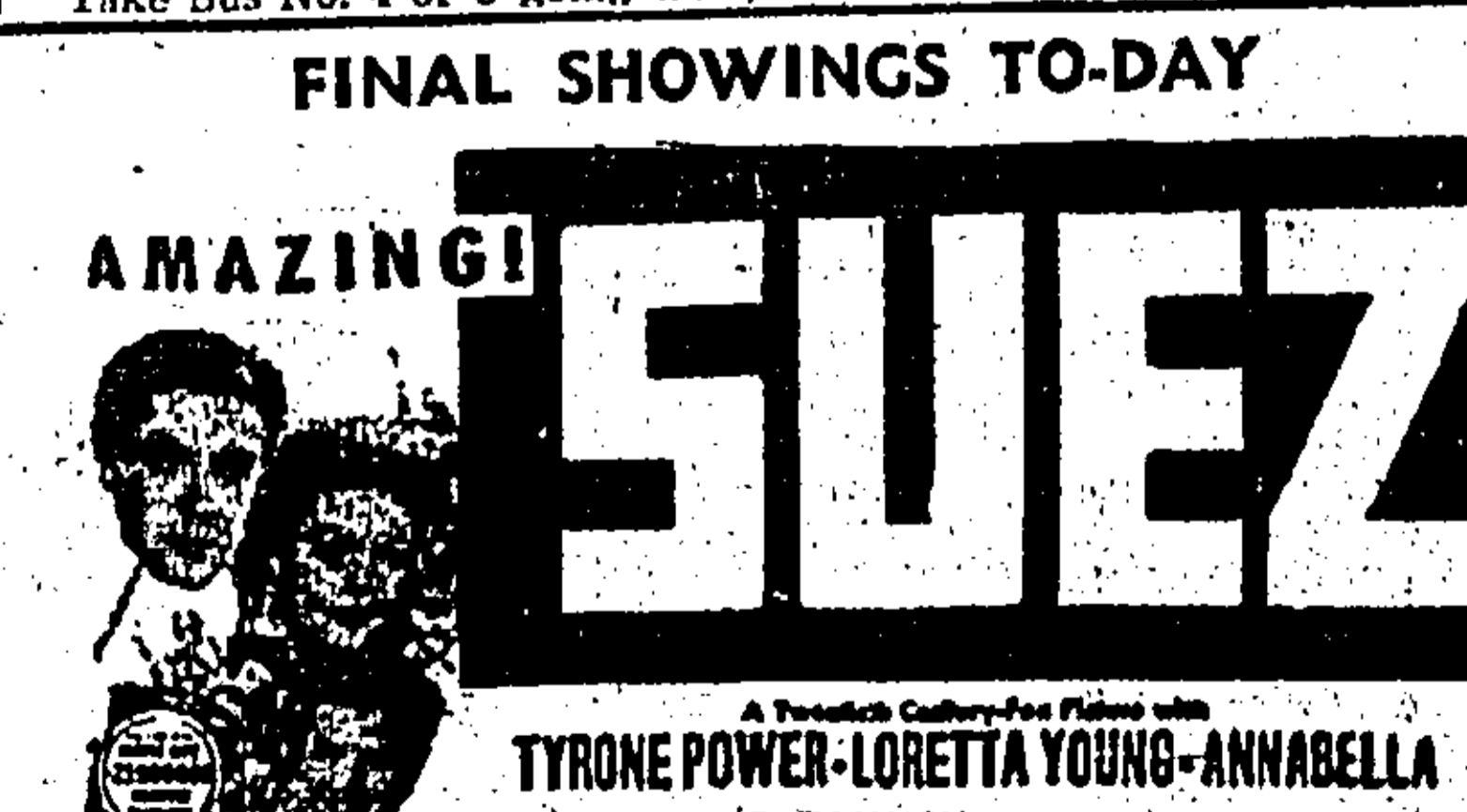
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